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RAILROADS.

... & California R. R. Co

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...ffect Sunday, Sept. 15, 1878, at 12 o'clock Noon.
...AILY (EXCEPT SUNDAY) As follows:
...LAND AND ROSEBURG
...VE. ARRIVE.
...7:30 A. M. | Roseburg ......7:00 P. M.
...5:00 A. M. | Portland......4:25 P. M.
...NY EXPRESS TRAIN.
...ILY, (EXCEPT SUNDAYS) As follows:
...VE. ARRIVE.
...3:50 P. M. | Albany......3:25 P. M.
...3:30 A. M. | Portland......10:05 A. M.
...REIGHT TRAINS
...CEPT SUNDAYS) AS FOLLOWS
...E. ARRIVE.
...6:15 A. M. | Junction......6:00 P. M.
...5:45 A. M. | Portland......5:25 P. M.
...and California Railroad Ferry make ...th all Regular Trains.
...ctions are made at ROSEBURG with ...he California and Oregon Stage Com...
...for Sale to all the principal points in ...the East, at Company's Office.
...Front Sts., at Ferry Landing PORTLAND.
...be charged on freight remaining in ...er 24 hours.
...not be received for shipment after 5 ...
...ERS. J. BRANDT, Jr., Gen'l Sup't.
...Gen'l Freight and Passenger Agent.

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...AMA TO TACOMA. AND ...MA TO WILKESON, (Coal Mines.)
... LINE TRAINS.
...Y, (SUNDAYS EXCEPTED.)
...E. ARRIVE.
...11:20 A. M. Tacoma......5:06 P. M.
...7:00 A. M. Kalama......12:30 P. M.
...lup Road Trains.
...E. ARRIVE.
...6:45 A. M. Wilkeson......9:00 A. M.
...3:30 P. M. Tacoma......5:50 P. M.
CONNECTIONS
...with Pacific Mail Steamships for San Francisco, and with Sound ...Seattle, Steilacoom, Olympia and all ...et Sound.
...lew with Stage for Steilacoom.
...with O. & T. R. R. for Olympia.
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...d on Wednesday and Saturday at ...eamers for Port Townsend, Victoria ...w Westminster and Fraser River.
...ckets for sale at Principal Offices ...and at the Office of the O. S. N. Co. ...regon, to Victoria and Seattle, and ...Co's steamships from Tacoma and ...nd P. C. S. S. Co's steamships from ...an Francisco.
...ckets to Portland, Oregon, for sale at ...le, Tacoma and Tenino.
SAM'L A. BLACK, Gen'l Sup't.
...GUE, Gen'l Freight & Passenger Ag't.

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...OUR TRAINS DAILY,
...h the morning and evening Trains ...rth Pacific at Tenino Junction. ...s with a daily line of Packets to all ...parts of the Sound.
T. I. McKENNY, Gen'l Superintendent.

...VER STEAMERS.

...team Navigation Co.'s
...ENGER SCHEDULE.
...ginning Dec. 13, 1878.

...ASSENGERS LEAVE PORTLAND ...OR DALLES—Daily, (except Sun... ...A. M.
...IA, TACOMA AND SEATTLE ...Sunday), at 6 A. M.
...TLA—Wednesday and Saturday at 6 ...
...A—Daily, (except Sunday,) at 6 ...
...t, Bay View, Skomockaway ...Seld—Monday, Wednesday and ...
..., Clifton and Knappa—Tues... ...and Saturday, at 6 A. M.
...TH, J. W. SPRAGUE, ...resident. Gen'l Sup't.

... WILLAMETTE
...ation and Locks Co's
...STEAMERS leave PORTLAND ...m the Central Wharf, between ...ashington and Alder streets, as ...
...N—Tuesday, Thursday and Satur... ...M.
...ALBANY, CORVALLIS, and ...iate points—Monday, Tuesday, ...and Friday at 6 A. M.
...s and Towing of Vessels
...d and Astoria apply at the office ...bear corner of Front and Ash sts. FRANK T. DODGE, Agent.

...O.'S STEAMERS.
...AMER McMINNVILLE
...l leave Davenport Wharf, foot of ...mhill street, as follows.
...Lafayette and McMinnville ...y, Wednesday and Friday at 7 ...
...T. Church can be chartered for ...&c.
...y at the dock or on board. C. O. T. WILLIAMS, Agent.

...r Transportation Co.
...he New and Elegant Steamer LURLINE,
...S. T. GRAY, Master,
...E FOOT OF ALDER STREET ...day excepted, at 2:30 P. M. ...e Vancouver at 8 A. M.
...assage apply on board. ...between 10:30 A. M. and 2 P. M.

...DERTAKERS.
...Y & GARNOLD
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...ABINET WORK made to order.
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...n and Second Sts., Portland, Ogn.

...UDSON, MAKER OF ... STAMPS, ETC. ...reet, Portland, Oregon.

...OLLIER'S
...N WORKS
... St., bet. Pine and Oak,
... OF EVERY DESCRIPTION ...e order at short notice.
...REPAIRING
...ted to by experienced workmen

...SSMENT NOTICE.
...L HYDRAULIC GOLD PLACER ...pany. Location of works, Galice ...county, State of Oregon. Location ...ce of business, Portland, Oregon. ...given that at a meeting of the Di... ...the 4th day of January, 1879 an ...2) of six (6) cents per share was ...pital stock of the corporation, pay... ...the first day of February, 1879 to ...the office of the company, in Port... ...Any stock upon which this assess... ...n unpaid on Monday, the 31 day ...9, will be delinquent and adver... ...public auction, and unless pay... ...fore, will be sold on Tuesday, the ..., 1879, to pay the delinquent as... ...er with cost of advertising and ... By order of the Board of Direc... E. F. ALBRIGHT, Secretary.

GENERAL NEWS.

(SPECIAL DISPATCHES TO THE OREGONIAN.)

Madame Anderson's Walk.

...York, Jan. 12.—Madame Anderson ...twenty-six hundred and first quar... ...10 o'clock to-night. Everything ...she will complete her task to-mor... ...

Iron Production of America.

...delphia, Jan. 12.—A report of the ...of the American iron trade of the ...has just been completed. It states ...production of pig iron in the United ...1877 was 2,314,585 tons, and in 1878 ...

Death of Commodore Guest.

...more, Jan. 12.—Commodore John ...commandant at Portsmouth navy ...to-day.

Perished in Flames.

...Jan. 12.—The tenement house and ...of John Odendorfer in Jamaica ...was burned last night. Mrs. Oden... ...person, ten years of age, perished ...

A Steamer Missing.

...Jan. 13.—It is feared the steamer ...lost. She has not been heard from ...left here December 17 for Liverpool.

Aid to American Trade.

...York, Jan. 13.—General Frisbie, ...of California, is about establishing a ...in the City of Mexico, and also con... ...organizing a transportation and ...company there enabling American ...to compete with French and ...to deal with foreign countries ...the medium of their bankers.

Earthquake in Florida.

...ville, Fla., Jan. 13.—A severe ...earthquake was felt last night at ...It lasted about 30 seconds and ...southeast to northwest motion. ...were violently shaken, crockery ...doors were thrown open. The ...felt at St. Augustine and the gulf ...Punta Rossa to St. Marks, as well ...the interior portion of the state. ...of the kind was ever experienced ...

Everything Nice for Grant.

...York, Jan. 13.—The U. S. steamer ...which left the navy yard Saturday ...the Atlantic squadron, has her cabins ...elegantly furnished for the ...of Gen. Grant and his son. The ...was set aside. New and elabor... ...furniture have been added to ...and ward room, and the interior ...gives it a palatial appearance. The ...has been fitted up in a sump... ...for the express accommodation ...and suite. The officers were select... ...special cruise.

Respite for a Wife Murderer.

...Jan. 13.—A further respite ...granted in the case of Alex. B. Sayre, ...murderer, whose execution is fixed ...day next.

Trouble with Cheyennes at Fort Robinson.

...Robinson, Neb., Jan. 13.—Fifty Chey... ...who are still at large, having escaped ...stronghold in the bluffs last night, ...the troops had corraled them. Their ...followed this morning, going north. ...The advance guard of troops were fired ...a party of savages at noon to-day, ...doubtless covering the retreat of ...band, succeeding in killing corporal ...of third cavalry. Other them... ...his guard, seeing their leader falling ...his horse, shot through the heart, ...the Indians, who were concealed ...near the top of a ridge. In the ...the guard killed one Indian and ...another. The remaining Indians ...through the heavy timber. At four ...the troops had got up with the ...who surprised the troops, firing a ...their midst, wounding private ...company A, third cavalry, in the ...shoulder. The savages were entrenched ...of a small stream.

Business in 4 Per Cents.

...York, Jan. 13.—One of the national ...$7,000,000 4 per cents to-day.

Investigating Reno's Conduct.

...Jan. 13.—A military court of in... ...the responsibility of Major Reno ...Custer massacre, convened here to... ...doors, but reporters were not ...to take notes of the proceedings. ...important action of the first session ...decision to summon Whitaker, who ...the charges against Reno.

WASHINGTON CITY.

Sugar Tariff Bill.

...committee on ways and means to-day, ...other discussion on the sugar tariff ...agreed by a vote of 6 to 4 to sub... ...the house a bill fixing rates as follows: ...sugars, syrups, etc., not above No. 13 ...standard, 2 40-100th cents per 100 lbs. ...sugars, syrups, etc., above No. 13 and ...No. 16, Dutch standard, 2 75-100ths ...per 100 lbs. and on all sugars above ...Dutch standard, 4 cents per 100 lbs.

A Big Job Defeated.

...case of Benjamin Scull and others ...the United States, in which a claim ...up under the Spanish grant to 11,000 ...miles, embracing 24 counties in Mis... ...and Arkansas, was to-day decided by ...supreme court adversely to the ... It is held that no adequate sur... ...the alleged grant ever has been made, ...no survey can be made which will ...with the concession.

Bills Relating to Oregon.

...to-day presented a memorial of ...praying for reimbursement of ...of supplies furnished at the Neah ...agency, Washington territory. ...bill for a post route from Bridge creek ...Ogn.

...presented a memorial of the legisla... ...Oregon asking congress to make an ...appropriation for the permanent improve... ...the Lower Willamette and Columbia ... Also a memorial from the same leg... ...asking congress to throw open the ...Indian reservation to public settle... ...the ground that the Indians are de... ...by contact with the whites.

Matter of Government Surveys.

...Jan. 13.—Secretary McCrary ...the senate to-day a letter enclosing a ...communication from Gen. Humphreys, ...of engineers, regarding the proposed ...consolidating all the government sur... ...the west and placing them under the ...survey, as proposed by the National ...of Science. Secretary McCrary, in ...says that since a thorough survey ...of any kind, will involve mil... ...dollars, and since the plan proposed ...National Academy, if adopted, will ...the supplying of the war department ...maps which are requisite for its ...administration and for the use of ...in the field, he would invite the ...consideration of the senate to the ...ation of the chief engineer, with ...recommendation that the appropriation ...surveys shall remain as before. ...Humphreys' letter is quite volumin... ...enters into the proposed consolida... ...a very rough manner. He claims ...Academy of Sciences exceeded its au... ...in making the recommendation for ...consolidation of all the surveys, and that ...committee which made the report ...the subject the careful attention it ...or examined into its details; but ...general conclusions without ...the cost or the inju... ...which a radical change in the ...of making surveys would have. He ...the cost of the plan proposed, Gen. ...says that should the government ...recommendation of the academy ...a series of years would elapse and ...of millions of dollars be expended ...survey could be completed; while by ...carried on by the war depart-ment, which is geodetic as well as topographic, the survey of the whole interior region would be completed in 10 or 15 years at a cost not exceeding $2 000,000.

INVESTIGATING SOUTHERN ELECTIONS.

Testimony Before the Teller Committee.

NEW ORLEANS, Jan 11.—G. R. M. Newman (colored), clerk of the district court in St. Mary's parish, testified before the Teller committee concerning the destruction of ballot boxes, and efforts made by Democrats to get possession of duplicate returns in his possession. An attack was made on his house at night, etc., substantially confirming news-paper accounts published at the time.

W. B. McNeal (colored), deputy sheriff, testified concerning the Caledonian affair, corroborating Norwood's testimony. Witness found a dozen stands of arms in Ream's house. He published a statement to the effect that twenty negroes in all were killed, but cannot say when or where each negro was killed. Witness served in the federal army during the war.

David Wise of Tensas, testified that the election was peaceable and quiet. He lived within a quarter of a mile of Fairfax, but knew nothing until the affair was over. Did not see the men and never heard the reason of the visit. His gin house was burned by negroes following. Don't know the reason. He never gave them any cause. Saw armed colored men marching through Waterproof the day before his gin house was burned, consequently when it was burned, was afraid to go out and see about it. Though the armed bodies of negroes came from Catahoula parish. Saw two hundred of them. The next day another crowd of armed negroes came in town, made a deal of fuss and cried that they were going to burn the town. Fairfax was the leader of the negroes, and it was understood that he was keeping up the color line, making speeches and advising the negroes to preserve a bold front. Witness sold ammunition at his store to any one who wanted it. Negroes did not buy an unusual quantity at that time. Saw negroes pass by hundreds through the town. There may have been thousands of them; they were all armed. The negroes dispersed when the sheriff of St. Joseph arrived. They also heard that white men from Mississippi were coming. I don't think there were more than 20 white men in Waterproof; we were very much frightened for the negroes threatened to kill children and outrage women. Think they would have burned the town Tuesday if the sheriff's posse hadn't arrived.

Thurman Gives Affidavits to Prove Republican Frauds at Late Elections.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 13.—Senator Thurman to-day addressed the following letter to Teller, chairman of the select committee of investigation:

DEAR SIR: Again complying with the request of your committee for information, I have the honor to send you installment No. 3, to wit:

First—An official, certified copy from the office of the secretary of state of Florida of an affidavit by James H. Paine, showing misconduct and violation of law by federal officials at the late election in Duval county in that state.

Second—A like certified copy of an affidavit by James M. Whitaker, relating to this same subject and to the intimidation of voters by armed Republicans.

Third—A like certified copy of an affidavit by S. G. Tucker, proving that at the late election at precinct No. 12, Alachua county, U. S. supervisor of elections N. R. Gruelle insisted that ballots as they were cast should be numbered to correspond with the number of each voter's name that appeared on the registration list, and that in compliance with his demand the larger part of the ballots were so numbered, and the secrecy of the ballot thus destroyed.

Fourth—A like certified affidavit of Robert M. Witherspoon, county judge of Madison county, in the same state, showing his illegal arrest and detention by the U. S. commissioner and the marshal, in order to prevent the discharge of his duties as one of the board of canvassers at the late election in said county.

Fifth—An affidavit of Edward S. Francis, a colored citizen of Duval county, Fla., and a member of the board of county commissioners of said county, proving that intimidation was practised in that state to prevent colored citizens from voting the Democratic ticket.

Sixth—An affidavit of James C. Williamson, a colored citizen of the same county to the same effect.

Seventh—A certificate of the sheriff and county judge of said county, and of the president of the city council of Jacksonville, and of the city clerk and city marshal, attesting to the good characters and standing of said Francis and Williamson.

Eighth—An affidavit of John B. Marshall, of Madison county, Florida, showing misconduct on the part of U. S. deputy marshals, and intimidation practiced by them at the last election in said county.

I have a number of letters from the north and west making specific charges of intimidation and bribery that it may be proper that I should lay before your committee; but I withhold them until the wishes of the writers in this respect can be ascertained. A. G. THURMAN.

THE ARMY.

Opposition to the Reorganization Bill—A Substitute Prepared.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 13.—It seems generally conceded that the Burnside bill for the reorganization of the army cannot pass. As a whole it will be vigorously opposed by some of the ablest members of both houses on the ground that it tends to subordinate the war department and even the president himself to the general of the army and establish a sort of military autocracy which is not in harmony either with the wishes of the people or the spirit of our institutions. Some of its leading opponents do not hesitate to say that the authority which it gives the general of the army is not only excessive but wholly unconstitutional. Under conviction that the bill in its present shape or in any shape which it is likely to assume, will fail to receive the approval of congress, Representative Atkins with counsel and the suggestive co-operation of some of the ablest officers of the army, has prepared another as a substitute which, although it has the same general objects as the Burnside bill, differs considerably from the latter in its methods and details. Its principal provisions are as follows: The army is to be reduced to the desired strength, not by summary dismissals or enforced retirements, but by the slower operation of natural laws. Vacancies created by death, casualties and resignations are to be left unfilled. Regiments are to be consolidated as their effective strength decreases, and the whole army, line and staff alike, allowed to gradually shrink to the desired numerical limits. The retired list, instead of being restricted as now to 400, is to be made as large as the necessities of the service may require, and all officers, without exception, are to be placed on that list as fast as they become incapacitated for active duty or reach the age of 62. In the meantime the supply of new officers from West Point is to be cut off.

The bill provides that members from the next two classes graduating from that academy shall, if they so desire, receive $750 each upon the completion of their studies and be permitted to return to their homes subject to recall at the expiration of two years if their services are required. The provisions of the bill with regard to a reduction of the number of regiments in the army are similar to those of the Burnside bill. The army, however, is placed under the supreme control of the secretary of war, subject only to the higher authority of the president as the commander in chief. The power of the general of the army instead of being increased as by the Burnside bill, is strictly limited to its present bounds. The bill provides for the adoption of the battalion system, regimental organization and makes a change in the present rule of promotion as regards first and second lieutenants. Lieutenants can now be advanced only in regiments to which they are attached, while captains and majors may be promoted to higher ranks in other regiments belonging to the same army service. This difference the bill proposes to abolish by giving lieutenants the same eligibility to promotion in other regiments that higher officers enjoy.

The Toronto *Globe* says that the American paper manufacturers are buying all the poplar wood that they can find in the Canadian eastern townships. They pay 50 cents a cord in the tree, and thus the farmer reaps a return for the wood that is almost valueless for aught.

EUROPEAN NEWS.

Valuable Library Burned.

LONDON, Jan. 12.—The library of the Birmingham and Midland Institute, at Birmingham containing 80,000 volumes, was burned on Saturday. It contained the most complete Shakspearian collection in the world, numbering 8,000 volumes. Comparatively few books were saved.

Another Forced Discharge.

The Weardale, Ireland, Coal Company discharged 1,500 men on Saturday because of depression in trade.

The Proposed Treaty.

CONSTANTINOPLE, Jan. 13.—Prince Labanoff, Russian ambassador, has accepted all the articles of the definitive treaty of peace as agreed to by the porte, but clause 2, relative to Russia's supervision over the execution of the treaty of Berlin. It is only accepted *ad referendum*.

Gives Favor to France.

The scheme for the organization of a gendarm is adopted by the eastern Roumelian commission, provides that the commander and instructors be Frenchmen.

French Ministerial Resignation.

PARIS, Jan. 13.—The *Temps* announces that Gen. Borel has resigned the ministry of war and that Gen. Faidherbe will succeed him.

A National Apology.

LONDON, Jan. 13.—Ben Ismail, prime minister of Tunis, repaired on Friday, in full uniform and accompanied with a numerous suite to the French consulate, and on behalf of the bey tendered a full apology to the consul of France. Ben Ismail was surrounded by all his staff and officers of the French fleet stationed off Tunis.

A Vessel Lost.

The Italian bark *Luigi Olivari*, from Philadelphia for Siloth, has been wrecked near White Haven. Eight of her crew were cast upon the beach; nothing is known as to the fate of the rest.

Death of Emperor William's Brother.

THE HAGUE, Jan. 13.—Prince Henry of the Netherlands, brother of King William, died to-day.

THE AFGHAN CAMPAIGN.

Stewart's Advance.

A dispatch from Calcutta says that Gen. Stewart's force has marched through Candahar.

Major Cavagnari has received friendly letters from most of the Cabul and Ghilzai chief. An imposing council was held at Jellalabad on the 1st of January by General Sir Samuel Browne. Most of the local khans and influential men of the neighborhood attended. Major Cavagnari explained the viceroy of India's proclamation and commented on the fact and events as manifesting the strength of the British government and the failure of the ameer's resistance, and reported the assurance that we have no quarrel with the people of Afghanistan. The principal khan expressed his contentment with the change of authority and freely offered his services. The health of the troops is good and they are settling down comfortably in their different camps. With wet weather, however, there will certainly come more sickness, but not sufficient to make serious inroad on the strength of the forces. The most unhealthy positions are probably Ali Musjid and Dakka. Gen. Stewart's troops marched through Candahar and are encamped on the Ghuznee road. Supplies are being plentifully offered by the people, who show a friendly spirit along the whole of General Stewart's line of march. In fact, the population have been quiet and there has been no molestation of baggage or attempts to interfere with the progress of the column.

British Forces in Winter Quarters.

CALCUTTA, Jan. 13.—The troops of the Peshawur and Kuram columns are settled down in quarters, which, unless unforseen events occur they will occupy for the next two months. Gens. Browman's and Mandes' divisions are echeloned in supporting detachments from Jelallabad to Nanshera. This extension and distribution of forces besides protecting the entire line of road diminishes as far as possible the strain upon the commissary department.

WOMAN'S RIGHTS AND WOMAN'S WRONGS.

A Committee of Ladies Wait on the President.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 13.—A committee appointed by the woman suffrage convention held in this city last week, consisting of Mrs. Gage Mrs. Spencer, Mrs. Wells and Mrs. Williams the two latter of Utah, called on the president this morning and presented a memorial and other papers in relation to female suffrage, and charging that the president had ignored the women of the country in his annual message. They also called the attention of the president to a recent decision of the supreme court in relation to polygamous marriages, and to the effect of enforcing the act of 1862, and said that it would make thousands of women outcasts and their children illegitimate. The president said that he was deeply impressed by what had been said, and requested Mrs. Williams and Mrs. Wells to make out statements in writing and submit them to him. He wanted all information on the subject that he could procure. They promised to do this, and the president then asked them how he could serve them. The reply was, "by vetoing any bill to enforce the act of 1862." In answer to the memorial and remarks made in reference to female suffrage the president said, "You say that I have ignored the women of the country in my annual message. I will carefully consider what you have said and the papers you have presented to me. In my next message I will act according to the dictates of my conscience and the best light I have."

SOUTH AMERICA.

News Notes from "Rio."

RIO JANEIRO, Dec. 24.—The budget for 1879-80 estimates the expenditures at one hundred and twenty-one million milreis and the revenue at one hundred and one million milreis. The deficit will be met by new taxation.

A ministerial crisis has occurred and the minister of marine has resigned.

The government proposes the extinction of all monastic orders and the application of their property to the redemption of the national debt.

WASHINGTON TERRITORY.

Olympia is still troubled with diphtheria.

A Seattle nursery man is raising a palm tree.

Fifty cents a bushel is the price offered for potatoes along the banks of White river. Quite an amount of potatoes yet remain in the White river valley awaiting shipment.

At an examination before Judge Greene, the man Henderson, of the $21,000 robbery notoriety, was bound over to appear at the next term of court on a charge of assault with intent to kill.

A fog whistle will shortly be erected at Point Wilson, while a larger and louder bell is to take the place of the one now at the Dungeness lighthouse; the present Dungeness bell will be erected at Foulweather Bluff.

Quite a trade is springing up in Lewis county in the manufacture of and shipment of hard wood lumber to California. Several mills are in operation preparing oak, ash, maple and other rare woods for its varied uses.

A meeting of the creditors of the Madison Mill Company will be held in San Francisco on the 16th inst. Within the last year and a half the company have expended $65,000 for improvements. Mr. Meiggs' logging camps are running, and the impression is general at Madison that in a short time operations will be resumed.

PACIFIC COAST NEWS.

CALIFORNIA.

Suicides.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 13.—August Gosler, a German soap peddler, suicided at his residence, 1019 Market street, some time last night, by cutting his throat. His body was discovered this morning. Gosler had been drinking heavily for some time past and had showed symptoms of delirium tremens.

Yesterday morning the body of Dr. S. M. Oettinger was found in bed at his rooms, No. 1,142 Market street, under circumstances which demonstrated that deceased had committed suicide. A phial which had contained prussic acid was found in his room. A letter in German was found addressed to Joseph Oettinger, his brother, of Stuttgardt, Germany, stating that his loss in stocks had driven him to suicide. Deceased was a physician, practicing under the title of "Healer and Psychometrist." He was 38 years of age and a native of Germany. He was a spiritualist, and in the room were found numerous prose and poetry effusions purporting to be communications of the spirits.

EUREKA, Jan. 13.—Mrs. Matilda Brodt, an aged lady of this place, committed suicide by hanging last evening. She was subject to convulsions, during one of which she committed the act.

Flood Ordered to Testify.

The supreme court to-day issued a mandamus commanding Judge Dangerfield of the 12th district court to compel J. C. Flood to testify before a notary in the case of Burke vs Flood et al, or to show cause within 20 days why he should not be made to do so. This is the suit to which the Pacific Wood, Lumber and Flume Co. is party defendant for the recovery of $4,000,000.

An Unfortunate Shot.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 13.—Thomas J. Stanton, a police officer, was arrested yesterday for shooting Francisco Zerga, an Italian fisherman, while the latter was attempting to escape arrest for using a net with a mesh of unusual size. The ball from Stanton's pistol struck Zerga in the mouth and lodged in the neck, inflicting what may prove a fatal wound. Stanton claims that he intended to fire over the fugitive's head, and that he hit him accidentally.

Election of Officers.

At the annual election of the San Francisco Stock and Exchange Board to-day the following officers were elected: President, E. P. Peckham; vice president, A. H. Lissak; chairman, B. H. Coit; treasurer, J. M. Shotwell, secretary, Charles S. Neal.

A Dividend.

Bodie has declared a dividend of $1 a share, payable on the 20th.

DELINQUENT TAXES.

Important Decision.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 13.—Judge Wheeler this morning, in the 19th district court, gave judgment for $5,300 in favor of the city and county of San Francisco, and against the San Francisco Gas Light Co. This was an action to recover judgment for taxes on personal property in the case of Mahoney vs the board of supervisors of San Francisco. In the action to compel the supervisors to take action with reference to condemning of the Laguna de la Merced property, the supreme court to-day dismissed the petition of intervention and denied the writ.

The decision rendered by Judge Thornton on Friday in the case of the People vs. F. McCrellish is a very important one to tax payers of this city. It is one of several hundred suits brought in the 23d district court by Fisher Ames, as special counsel for the city, to recover delinquent taxes for the years 1872, 1873 and 1874, aggregating fully $50,000 in amount. The actions were commenced some three years ago under a special statute of 1875 and 1876, authorizing the city to commence such suits and prescribing the form of complaint. The main point of defense was that the tax was illegal, for the reason that the board of supervisors had levied for several funds not authorized by law, and therefore the whole levy was vitiated. The judgment was rendered in favor of the city for the amount of tax together with 12 per cent interest thereon, 5 per cent penalty and costs of suit. This decision by Judge Thornton is the first decision by a district court direct to the point touching the question of the legality of these taxes, and it is the first time that this question has been before court in an action brought by the city against delinquent tax payers. This is regarded as a test case and it will probably go to the supreme court. All questions involved in tax matters have been brought up so that it can be made a test case. Mr. Ames is preparing to commence a large number of actions against other parties to collect similar taxes, the right of city to recover having been affirmatively passed upon by the district court, and many similar cases now at issue will be tried as fast as reached.

THE TULLIS TRIALS.

In the First Degree.

SACRAMENTO, Jan. 12.—In the Tullis murder case, the trial of Edward Anderson, one of the murderers, was concluded at 2 o'clock Sunday morning by the jury bringing in a verdict of murder in the first degree. Clark, the third of the party indicted, is to be tried to-morrow.

Clarke on Trial.

SACRAMENTO, Jan. 13.—A. T. Clarke was placed on trial in the 6th district court at 10 A. M. to-day as the third conspirator in the Tullis murder tragedy. C. T. Jones opened the case for the people, and stated that it would be claimed that Clarke was a partner with Troy Dye in the saloon business and was cognizant of the conspiracy to kill Tullis. Clarke is in court and is cool and collected. The interest in these cases has not abated. The court room was crowded as usual, and great numbers failed to get in. Anderson was brought into court and his day of sentence fixed for the 24th inst. The trial of Clarke is to be resumed at 9 A. M. Tuesday.

IDAHO.

Meeting of the Legislature.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 13.—A Boise City dispatch says: The territorial legislature met to-day. The council failed to effect a temporary organization, owing to the refusal of the chief clerk of the previous session to recognize the credentials of members which were certificates from county boards and the territorial secretary, and adjourned till to-morrow. The council stands 7 Republicans to 6 Democrats. The Republican and Democratic members assembled and effected separate temporary organizations. Neither party has a quorum, standing 12 each, besides two contestants from Oneida county.

NEVADA.

Suicide.

AUSTIN, Jan. 13.—Matthew Furth, aged 50, an old citizen of Austin, shot and killed himself this morning during a fit of mental aberration.

NOVA SCOTIA.

Marine Disaster.

HALIFAX, Jan. 13.—A cablegram to-day reports the total loss of the bark *Gauhukia*, of New Glasgow, with all hands, on Bordeaux bar. She was on a voyage from Baltimore for Bordeaux, grain laden.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Puget Sound Telegraph Company was held in Port Townsend on Monday. The following directors were elected: T. Minor, Wm. Renton, D. C. H. Rothschild, H. L. Tibbals, C. C. Bartlett, and the board elected the following officers: T. T. Minor, president; D. C. H. Rothschild, secretary, H. L. Tibbals, treasurer, R. S. Robinson, superintendent. A dividend of $3 per share was declared.

CONGRESSIONAL.

Senate.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 13.

Coke, Bayard and Hamilton were appointed a committee to arrange for the funeral of Representative Schleicher and accompany the remains to Texas.

A bill passed without discussion appropriating $250,000 for a fire proof building for a national museum.

It was then voted to attend the funeral of Mr. Schleicher, and a recess was taken.

Ingalls from the pension committee, reported, without amendment, house bill relating to soldiers while in the civil service of the United States, and placed on the calendar. It provides for the payment of their pensions to any persons who were deprived thereof during any portion of the time from the 30th of March, 1865, to the 6th of June, by reason of their being in the civil service of the United States.

The senate proceeded in a body to the hall of the house to attend the funeral, and upon returning to the chamber adjourned.

House.

The report of the committee on foreign affairs recommending the payment of the remainder of the salary of late Representative Schleicher as a member of the 45th congress to his family, and requesting the next congress to make a similar appropriation of his salary as a member of the 46th congress, was unanimously adopted. The funeral services take place at 3, to which time a recess was taken.

Long before the termination of the recess the galleries were filled by people, and at the appointed time the senators and supreme court judges entered the hall and soon afterwards the body of Mr. Schleicher was borne in and the funeral services were read by the chaplains of the house and senate.

At the conclusion of the funeral services, at which the president and cabinet were present, the remains were removed from the hall by the committee and escorted to the depot, whence they will be sent to San Antonio by this evening's train.

House adjourned.

OREGON.

"Shinny" is the fashionable out door sport at Salem.

Base ball flourishes in spite of wintry weather, at Ashland.

An attempt is being made to organize a fire department at Jacksonville.

The people of Phœnix are trying to raise a fund to build a good school house.

A Salem paper states that many farmers fear that the late cold snap has injured fall-sown grain.

Beekman, Turner & Co., will soon test the quality of their mining ground on Rogue river by sinking shafts.

The Blue Gravel Co., of Galice creek, has levied an assessment of six cents per share, payable at Portland on the 1st of February.

There are several hunting clubs at various points up the valley. Contests are frequent and offer great sport and occasional quarrels.

The Philathean Literary Society at Roseburg challenges any society in the state to meet them in a friendly contest in the arena of debate.

A large gray wolf, which has been doing great damage for some months past in the vicinity of Zena, was hunted down and killed last week by a company of 40 men and several dozen dogs.

Highland Lodge No. 26, I. O. O. F., located at Eola, Polk county, filed articles of incorporation on last Thursday. Capital stock, $600. Incorporators: Thomas Price, Wm. Waters and Thomas Jordan.

Salem *Statesman*: Last week five convicts were pardoned whose terms of service were nearly expired. The penitentiary is filling up so fast that it will be necessary to build more stalls or picket some of the convicts out.

The Jacksonville *Times* says: Never in the history of scientific mining have the mines of Southern Oregon been in better shape for operations. Every miner is now ready and his claim is rigged up with a view of doing the most work in the least time.

A southern Oregon paper says: Last week the California and Oregon Stage Co. sold to an Oakland farmer an old stage horse known as Quimby, and named after the old Portland hotel keeper. This horse helped to pull the first stage on the overland that left Portland, and since then has seen constant service in the traces. He must be at least 27 years of age.

Jacksonville *Times*: Engineer Eastwick is said to be of the opinion that Rogue river cannot be rendered navigable by the expenditure of any sum of money congress may see fit to appropriate for the purpose. His recent experience in the premises seems to be evidence enough of this, and he will report accordingly. This fact is to be deplored, as it cuts off one hope southern Oregon may have entertained for an outlet to the sea.

There is some trouble about the assets of the Doty Bros. of Eola, Polk county, whose failure was announced last week. The Salem *Statesman* says: Duty Bros. have a warehouse and have been receiving wheat from the farmers in the vicinity to the amount of 1,600 bushels as per receipts given. Mr. Geo. Marshall & Co., of Oregon City, claim to have bought of Doty Bros. 5,000 bushels for which payment has been made. The farmers, however, claim the wheat, they not having sold or received payment thereon, and in order to protect their rights, sued out a writ of replevin. Mr. Marshall, we understand has commenced a counter action, which will test the rights of property. The farmers are in possession, and it seems that the amount does not tally with outstanding receipts, there being a difference unaccounted for of near 4,000 bushels.

PERSONAL AND GENERAL.

There are 272 telephone stations under the direction of the German postoffice authorities. The instruments work perfectly over lines of fifty kilometres long—say thirty-two miles.

Cleveland *Herald*: Unless there should be an entire change in the political situation Blaine will be the only candidate strong enough to dispute the prize with the "Old Man."

Notwithstanding the assertion of Conkling's home organ that he won't be a candidate in 1880, there is a general impression that he will in that year "make the greatest effort of his life."

The value of the live stock received in Chicago during 1878 was $98,400,000, being an increase of $5,200,000 over the last year, and this notwithstanding the extraordinary reduction in prices.

The Madison (Wis.) *Journal* says the war eagle, "Old Abe," has earned $50,000 for different societies where he has been exhibited as a curious relic of the Rebellion. The bird is now on his way to Boston to attend a festival.

The tenacity with which the yellow fever had taken hold in Memphis can be realized by the fact that as late as December 14th, notwithstanding the severe frost that had occurred, there were two deaths from the disease in that city.

Mrs. Hayes' photograph sells better than any other notable in Washington, which shows that most people who buy photographs prefer hers to her husband's. Of the senators, Blaine's sells better than any other. Lamar stands next.

Concerning the versatility of George Eliot's late husband, George Henry Lewes, the London *World* declares that he was the most many-sided man in London. In addition to being the profoundest German scholar among Englishmen, Thomas Carlyle not excepted, Lewes was a philosopher, savant, biographer, dramatic critic and novelist.

The New York *Herald* says that "ex-Senator Conness, of California, who has lived in Boston eight years, is looming up in the politics of that city." He loomed up to the extent of being a defeated candidate for alderman. Not a very dizzy height, but still a beginning.

A cable dispatch announces the death of the widow of George Grote, author of the widely known history of Greece. She married Mr. Grote in 1820.

NORDENSKJOLD'S EXPEDITION.

NORTHEAST PASSAGE FROM EUROPE TO BEHRING STRAITS.

[Berlin Letter to New York.]

The long and ardently expected reports of Professor Nordenskjold's successful voyage from the Yenisei around the North Cape of Asia to the Lena—a feat never before accomplished by any vessel—have now come to hand, fully confirming the telegraphic news of his safe arrival at the Lena, received on the 14th of October. We extract from a letter dated "Off the Lena, August 27," and written by Lieut. Hovgaard, a naval officer on Nordenskjold's staff, the following interesting particulars:

"We left Dickson port on the 10th of August, and had not gone far before we perceived the charts to be entirely wrong, for the coast is in reality far more to the west than hitherto supposed. The fine weather with which we were at first favored now gave way to a dense and continuous fog. In spite of the elements we pushed onward, and on the 11th passed Cape Sterlegog, the furthest point yet reached by any vessel. We constantly perceived small islands not given on the map. On Monday, the 12th of August, we encountered ice, but not in such quantity as to demand special attention. In the afternoon the ice began to thicken and gradually surround us, so that we were quite unable to break through the congealed masses. We increased our steam power and dashed with full force against the heavy blocks in order to make way not only for ourselves, but also for the *Lena*, our smaller companion, whose iron sides are less able to withstand as much as twenty-three inch oak planks of the *Vega*. After a while, when all efforts had failed, we had to abandon our attempts at breaking through at this point. Evening neared before an outlet was discovered, through which we escaped toward the east.

"A wonderful panorama spread around us. To the south lay the Taimur land, glittering fiery red in the rays of the midnight sun, appearing, by refraction, high above the northern horizon, while the ice reflecting in the air assumed fantastic forms. Under the glassy surface of the sea the two steamers glided smoothly onward, passing many little fjords with ice fringed coasts. An unfortunate bear, incautious enough to swim too near the *Lena*, had to atone with his life for his temerity. This Arctic splendor was not of long duration. The next day we were again obliged to resume our usual maneuvering between the drifting ice, when all at once, at a distance of barely eight hundred yards, we sighted land. Of course we anchored and waited for clear weather, which finally ensued about three in the afternoon, only to be soon replaced by fog and ice. Still as best we could we held eastward until a favorable opportunity for anchoring presented itself in the shape of a small bay in the sound situated between the Taimur islands and the continent. This haven was named by us Actinia Port, from the masses of a sort of polyp we saw in the water. On the 18th of August we were at last released from our compulsory rest by a change of weather driving away the surrounding ice. Continually enveloped in a thick mist we steered toward Cheljuskin, first noticed by us the succeeding day. Without really seeing the land itself, but only following its icy outlines, we at the approach of night arrived at the little bay situated to the west of the northern extremity of Asia, and bearing the name of its first discoverer, the Russian mate Cheljuskin, who reached it by land in 1749. Who can describe the feelings of triumphant joy with which we at last drew near the long sought goal!

"With all the flags waving and greeting the time-honored northern point of the Old World with five salutes, the *Vega* steamed proudly into the harbor, while the sun, as if to give additional luster to the festive occasion, dispelled the clouds, showing a range of high, snow covered hills in the background. From the top of a large promontory a bear stared inquiringly at his unexpected guests, but after receiving a few shots, deemed it prudent to retire to the shelter of the hills. Continuing our observations the next day, we erected a cairn, in which we deposited a document telling of our expedition and future plans. At 1 P. M. on 20th August, we weighed anchor and steered eastward. After battling amid fog and ice we attained the narrow coast of the Taimur peninsula and had then the luck to meet almost open water. The coast is about fifty English miles more to the west than noted down on the chart. On the 25th we anchored near a small island in the entrance of Chatanga bay. We made final observations and sailed onward. We are now in the mouth of the Lena, where we part company with our *Lena*, who carries the mail to Yakutsk, her destination. She is to remain there until next year, when she will return to Europe. We, continuing our course in the Vega, hope in a few months, to hail Japan and successfully accomplish the long desired and hoped for discovery of the northern passage from the Atlantic to the Pacific ocean."

Grafting Stocks.

[From the Western Rural.]

The leaf of the tree is an indicator of its vitality and hardihood, and should be carefully examined in the selection of varieties. This principle will be readily recognized by any one who has taken any notice of trees and their natural conditions. If a hardy tree is the object, one with a large, thick and dark green leaf is to be preferred. When engrafted upon, stocks have only the power of adding to or reducing the vigor of the variety engrafted upon them. This is effected by means of the roots. The graft elaborates through its leaves the sap, and thus controls the formation of the wood and fruit. It will be observed, therefore, that both the stock and the graft retain their identity. If this is true, therefore, the health and origin of the stock requires special attention. Nothing can more clearly illustrate this than the graft of a vigorous variety of vigorous growth upon a dwarf. The graft will continue its vigor until the top outgrows the root, the courses of the sap vessels will be broken, and the union will end. It will then begin to form fruit buds, as in the case of a dwarf tree.

In the choice of stocks for grafting or budding upon, as a writer has correctly said, "examination should be made of them from the first year's growth. The healthy, vigorous plants only should be retained, and the weakly sickly ones, or those that cast their leaves early in the season, should be thrown away." Next, those stocks that start their buds early in spring should be worked with varieties of a corresponding time of vegetation, and so with those of a later period. This requires care and attention to mark them during the time of starting. Another thing in the selection of stocks is, the character of the woods to be united—whether of fine or coarse texture, or of slender or gross growth. Were these points more attended to, we should have less complaint in orchard culture, and less of dispute respecting the identity of varieties. We hope to see the time when the tree grower who uses this care will find the demand for his trees and the price so much in his favor, that it will become a universal practice."

If it is the design to reduce the habit and growth of the graft by engrafting, stocks that have grown from seed of a slow, slender growing tree should be selected. The reason for this is that such seedlings are more abundantly supplied with small fibrous roots, which supplying a less quantity of sap, the graft grows less vigorously. The result of this is that it sooner changes its buds from wood to fruit buds than it would if it were worked on plants that have more power laid up in their roots.

It is said that nearly all of the southern cities will default on their January interest. Old Ben Wade's advice to the south was brief and wicked, but it was good. Said he, "The south will never prosper until it raises more corn and cotton, and less hell." Corn and cotton will pay interest on bonds, but nobody seems able to convert the other into cash except Bob Ingersoll.

QUIPS AND CRANKS.

Truth is stranger than fiction. A man may know that he is a liar, and yet he'll feel decidedly strange when he is called one.

Now that the search for the remains of Stewart is practically given up, we presume the "vaulting ambition" of the thieves is satisfied.

They are talking of abolishing funerals in Ohio. Not that people will cease to die, but the funeral is expensive, and the medical colleges get the bodies anyhow.

Some Indian tribes file their teeth. That is because they are ignorant, uneducated savages, when a civilized man wants to get his teeth on edge he sucks a lemon.

"Sir," said a lady to a would-be wag, "your jokes always put me in mind of a sphere." "Of a sphere, madam! Why so, pray?" "Because they never have any point."

A sewing-machine agent, who was very ill, being told that he must prepare to pay the debt of nature, wanted to know if it couldn't be paid on the monthly installment plan.

"I'm a rutabaga and here's where I plant myself," said a tramp, as he entered a farm house near Freeport, Ill., and seated himself at the table. "We allers bile ours," said the farmer's wife, and soused him with a dish-panful of boiling water.

The highwayman reads in the telegraph column of his morning paper that a stage-coach leaves Deadwood that day with $900,000 in gold bullion, and as he proceeds to put his revolver in readiness he exclaims most fervently, "Heaven bless Prof. Morse!"

Where the Laugh Went Out.

[From the Virginia (Nev.) Enterprise.]

William Smith, a descendant of the Nubian kings, got muddled and howled yearningly for some one to tread on the butt of his heel. His warlike tones brought a couple of policemen to the scene, who arrested him. He was taken before Justice Knox and fined $40. "Fohty dollahs, Judge! Ho, ho, he; he, he, he; ha, ha, ha—heough! Why dat's mo' money, Jedge, den I ever had in my life. I'm not a Rofschild. Fohty dollahs! Ho, ho, ho!" "Twenty days in jail!" roared the judge, and Mr. Smith's laugh ceased and his lower lip hung down like a leather apron.

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A MARVELLOUS BUSINESS

The extent of the business of the city of Chicago has long been a marvel and still it grows without interruption The year 1878 has been one of depressed business in many quarters, and the decline in prices of all commodities as the country has been coming down to the specie basis, has been large Nevertheless the increase of the business of Chicago for 1878 is $55,000,000 over that of 1877, reckoned on the gold basis, the grand total for 1878 being no less than $655,000,000 The wholesale trade of the city for the year shows sales aggregating $271,900,000. Of agricultural products handled, including live stock, the value was $219,700,000 Receipts of grain reached the enormous aggregate of 134,856,193 bushels, and the number of hogs received was 6,339,656 Weight of hogs slaughtered during the year was 648,200 tons The value of the whole hog product was $55,500,000 Receipts of cattle were 1,088,067 head, and of sheep 311,421. The products of the city's manufactures for the year sum up a value of $230,000,000. Arrivals of vessels at the port of Chicago for the year numbered 11,-876, aggregating 3,338,803 tons. Shipments by lake for the year included 12,000,000 bushels of wheat, 41,000,000 bushels of corn and an immense aggregate of other products. Total receipts of lumber were 1,171,364,000 feet. The *Tribune*, from whose exhaustive review, filling forty columns, we take these figures, says "The story of the growth of Chicago reads like a tale of the imagination. An unbroken series of annual increase in all her business for thirty years is an evidence of her stability, and offers reasonable grounds for the belief that the city is even now but in the infancy of the commercial greatness which is to be hers in the near future."

Since resumption has been so successfully accomplished little has been heard from the advocates of the "American system of finance," who proposed to reject gold, silver and national bank notes and use only greenbacks, or "absolute money." A great many political financiers find their occupation gone. The most they can now do is to urge an issue of greenbacks to take the place of bank notes. But as it is clear that under this scheme resumption could not be maintained, there is little encouragement to urge it. Mr. Boutwell, formerly secretary of the treasury, in an article just published in a leading periodical, discusses this proposition of greenbacks for bank notes, not with reference to its effects or maintenance of resumption, but from a totally different point of view. According to his statement it has been clearly ascertained that the profits of country banks are derived from capital and circulation while those of the cities gain their profits from capital and deposits. The substitution therefore of greenbacks for bank notes would strike, not the city, but the country banks. To blot out the national banks in the small towns would lead to the institution of state banks. Were we to destroy the national banks and build up state banks we would still have other paper than greenbacks for currency, since state bank notes would be substituted for national bank notes. We are thus driven to the necessity of having either national bank or state bank notes. As between the two there is not much question as to which is preferable. If we must have banks of circulation, it is far better that they should be under the control of the national than of the several state governments. The existing banks are creditors to the extent of $800,000,000, and in prosperous times their loans exceed $1,000,000,000. The general government realizes about $7,000,000 a year from taxes paid by these banks, and the states $9,000,000. And there is absolute security for circulation which never before was attained under any general system of banking.

It will be remembered how very difficult it was to get Republican senators to serve on the Teller committee for investigation of election frauds. It is no secret that this reluctance grew out of jealousy of and hostility toward Senator Blaine, who had moved the inquiry and made himself conspicuous in its support. That he should be the champion of a movement which was likely to advance his political interests they could not allow; hence they left him to fight for the committee almost alone in the senate, and after the resolution had carried were disinclined to serve under it. Washington correspondence of the Cincinnati *Gazette* asserts that Blaine's action was "the war-whoop which signalized the opening of his campaign for 1880;" and though "there was a general feeling among Republican senators that the southern election outrages should form a subject of prompt and earnest consultation with a view of placing the subject in a proper light before the country," yet there were many who didn't want Blaine to push himself ahead, and who herefore looked with coldness upon the whole undertaking. All this is characteristic of men each of whom hopes either to be president or to be very near the man who is.

That the Democrats in the house of representatives the other day would not pass the bill to reimburse William and Mary college of Virginia for buildings destroyed during the war is an indication that no southern claim whatever can pass the present congress; and no doubt the next congress will be equally shy of all such bills. It is the Democrats of the north who fear the record that would be made by payment of these claims. They don't want to throw away all chance of success in future elections, and they know well that northern constituencies would not submit to any such raids on the treasury. The southern members may make unkind remarks about the ingratitude and cowardice of their northern friends, but still discretion is a great matter. The northern Democrats beat down one of the powerful weapons of their adversaries when they refused to join the south in voting for the William and Mary college claim. And yet this claim was as little objectionable as any from the south could possibly be.

Kansas City appears to desire to secede from Missouri and accept a situation in Kansas. The principal journal of Kansas City, the *Times*, strongly advocates annexation to Kansas, and prints a map showing how desirable it would be to effect this necessary adjustment of the frontier. The city really belongs to Kansas, that is to say, Kansas trade built it up and supports it It lies immediately upon the state line, in fact a part of the city is in Kansas, and its business connections are nearly all with that state It is not doubted that the Kansas legislature would approve annexation, but whether Missouri would consent to part with the city may be questioned According to the *Times*, public opinion at Kansas City is quite unanimous for it.

Gov. Nicholls, of Louisiana, delivered his message to the legislature on the 7th. He relates at great length the history of the lawlessness in Tensas parish. It began in the action of a party of twenty or twenty-five men who went at night to the house of one Fairfax, a colored political leader, "for the purpose of influencing his course and affecting the political campaign in that parish," and the result was a melee in which, before quiet was restored, eleven negroes were killed The governor words his report in a very guarded manner, but it indicates plainly enough that the massacre was for the purpose of political intimidation. He does, however, say plainly that the act through which these outrages were begun was utterly wrong, and, in his opinion, entirely without justification."

The Indian appropriation bill provides $15,000 for the support and civilization of Joseph's band of Nez Perces in the Indian territory, and $7,000 for the Modocs removed to the same region; also $25,000 for the removal of the roving bands of Southeastern Idaho to Fort Hall reservation and their assistance in agricultural pursuits, and $5,000 to remove bands of Southeastern Oregon to some proper reservation in Oregon. A new feature of the bill is an appropriation of $60,-000 to pay and equip a force of Indian police, to be used in maintaining order and preventing illegal traffic in liquor on reservations. The total force is to consist of 800 privates at $5 per month cash, and $100 officers at $8 each.

The New York *World* is poorly informed. It prints a summary of the results of the Oregon investigation under the caption, "Ex parte charges by a Republican commission against Senator Grover." The *World*, being an intelligent journal, ought to know that the Oregon legislature is a Democratic body and would not appoint a "Republican commission." It is probable that the *World* has learned ere this, much to its chagrin, that among the five members of the committee which has censured Grover, there is but one Republican

Senator Thurman sends to the Teller committee a number of witnesses to prove that the intimidation in the southern elections was not the work of Democrats, but the unlawful violence of Republicans who wouldn't let colored men vote the Democratic ticket. And Chalmers, of Fort Pillow fame, who sits in congress for the "black belt district" of Mississippi, writes a letter in which he asserts, firstly, that there was no massacre at Fort Pillow, and intimates, secondly, that the "federals" were to blame for the massacre. Truth, long crushed to earth, rises again.

There is a great deal of time lost in traversing the "magnificent distances" about the national capital; but it keeps a great lot of of people out of worse employment. It was General Washington who located the original executive departments over a mile from the capitol, as he thought that the congressmen, if too near the clerks, would meddle too often with them and with the public business. The judgment was eminently correct; but the modern congressman has triumphed over distance.

One of the organs says that the supreme court will have to be careful after this and get their washing done at home, or an investigating committee will get after them. It was not the washing for the supreme court that the committee objected to, but the warrants drawn by the secretary of state for service not authorized by law and presumably not rendered.

Gen. Longstreet has been appointed postmaster at Gainesville, Ga. A telegram says the appointment is very offensive to Georgia senators and representatives, but gratifying to the stalwart ring of Republicans. Longstreet was driven out of New Orleans on account of his politics and took refuge some two years ago on a plantation he owned near Gainesville.

The Southern Pacific railroad has been completed to Adlonde, thirty-two miles east of the Colorado river, and a station has been opened at that place.

A WORD FOR COL. ROSS.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE OREGONIAN:

I notice that the *Standard* quotes from an article in the Jacksonville *Times* intimating that Col. John E. Ross must have been a sharer in the $40,000 steal in connection with the Modoc war. The charges in the report of the investigating committee as I understand refers to misconduct on the part of the officers of the commissary and quartermaster's department. These officers were appointed by Governor Grover, and to him, as commander in chief, their reports and accounts were submitted Col. Ross had no more control or supervision of those accounts or the property than he had of the common school or university funds. His functions were simply to command the troops in the field. He neither purchased or disbursed public property, and had neither the authority or the opportunity to do so. To control the disposition of the soldiers, their arms and their ammunition in battle, or on the march was the extent of his functions. I served in early Indian wars with Col. Ross and never knew him to steal a rifle, a cartridge or a ration, or *anything else*. I have known him to divide a very poor ration of horse meat with a starving comrade. If, however, the white headed old soldier has become a thief in his old age, let no more mercy be shown him than has been extended to Governor Grover and others whose conduct receives such universal condemnation at the hands of the people.

VOLUNTEER

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Dec. 30, at the residence of Capt Henry Smith on Naselle river, Pacific county, W T, by Andrew Olsen J P., Mr John Anderson, of Pacific county, and Miss Mary Elva Smith, late of Halifax, N. S.

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German Aid Society.—General meeting of the German Aid Society at 7½ o'clock this evening. By order of the President H SAXER.

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THE COPARTNERSHIP HERETOFORE EXisting between the undersigned, under the firm name of Koshland Bros, has this day been dissolved by mutual consent. Either party is authorized to sign in liquidation

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Portland, January 13, 1879

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MISCELLANEOUS.

DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.

THE PARTNERSHIP HERETOFORE EXISTING between us, under the firm name of Dekum & Bickel is this day dissolved by mutual consent. Frederick Bickel will continue the business at the old stand, No. 84 First street, between Stark and Oak streets. Either party is authorized to receipt for debts due the firm. FRANK DEKUM, FRED. BICKEL.

Portland, Oregon Jan. 6, 1879

DISSOLUTION.

THE COPARTNERSHIP HERETOFORE EXISTing between James Welch and A. W. Bennett in the harness and saddlery business is this day dissolved by mutual consent, James Welch retiring. A W Bennett will collect and liquidate all debts of the late firm and continue the business at the old stand.

JAMES WELCH.
A. W. BENNETT.

Portland, Oregon, Dec. 30 1878.

NOTICE.

ANY ONE KNOWING THEMSELVES INDEBTED to me please call and settle, as I wish to close my business as soon as possible.

j3dtf MRS G. H. [illegible]

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TUESDAY M

DEATH OF ... McGuire departed ... East Portland yes... and painful illness ... years Mr McGuire ... izens of Portland ... Burlington, Ia, a ... raised a family ... survive him as ... stricken with grief ... panion of a long ... ceased Mrs Murphy ... Esq of Olympia ... ago, but was detained ... her father's bedside ... death The grief ... of her husband ... utterly prostrated ... congestive chill ... paired of The ... and highly respected

TWENTY FIFTH ... gram says "Ne... 25th anniversary ... Very Rev. J. F. F... sion will be celebrated ... basement of the n... on that day. Father ... making arrangements ... given to Father F... the cathedral, and ... looked forward to ... vited We understand ... Father Mathew and ... will participate, as ... the church and ... Catholic schools.

INTERESTING RE... meeting held Sunday ... gregational Church ... G. H Atkinson ... ated. An unusual ... services by the pre... men, about twenty ... knowledge of pardon ... the Lord Jesus Ch... these men have tu... unto God since co... all participated in the

BETHEL SERVICES ... the British ship M... interest last Sabbath ... ed to its utmost cap... dred people, it was ... admittance. The ... marked interest, and ... tears as the chaplain ... hope and love for s... Heb., 12:2)

STEAMER BONITA ... which left Astoria ye... here last evening in ... quantities of floating ... on the way up, but ... in consequence. The ... *Welcome* at Rainier ... Astoria This morning ... for Astoria.

AT ROOSTER ROCK ... S. N. Co's line las... mail carrier from ... land reached Rooster ... opposite directions ... at that point. Such ... mail will reach here

AT ASTORIA.—A ... terday at 9 A M. say... light from northw... Another dispatch a... southwest wind; th... cloudy.

INSTALLATION OF ... of Ellison Encampment ... be installed this Tu... pected that Ellison ... attendance in full u...

CONDUCT THE SERV... will conduct the uni... C A, this evening. ... the meeting last nigh... ber requested prayer

ANNUAL MEETING ... meeting of the Unit... tion of trustees, rep... etc. will be held th... the chapel at 7½ P. M

THE ...

U. S. CIRCUIT ... Mayer vs Cahalin; ... dissolve attachment, ... day January 20th, 18... Fred. V. Holman ... this court. Gest vs Packwood; ... and submitted Coulson vs Holmes ... to answer. Goodyear Dental V... E Holdridge, dismiss... Same vs G. H. & L. ... ing. Court adjourned u... at 10 o'clock.

STATE CIRCUIT CO... Hawley, Dodd & Co. ... dismissed. Mary E Campbell ... referred to S Huelat ... State of Oregon vs J... new trial overruled. James Dunlap vs H... the answer overruled; ... which to reply. Hawley, Dodd & Co ... motion to dismiss this ...

COUNTY COURT— Wing Yung & Co. v... fendants allowed until ... answer

PERS...

Mrs McCarl, who h... for several weeks past, ... of First and Salmon ... hopefully

Capt. J Rose, of th... *Lee*, went down to ... boat His vessel, ... loading, will proceed ... permits

Capt. J Black, wh... chronicled by this pa... expects to go down to ... pany with the barge th... 300 tons of wheat.

E Cartwright, of Sal... king way of recovery ... the severe surgical ope... performed by which ... was removed from his

Mr Alex Meachem, ... high school in this city ... Salem where he has ... being accepted as a m... the Supreme Court M... ciated himself in the ... ts with Gen. O. F. Bel...

UP THE C...

JA... Cascades—Cloudy an... mometer 38, very little ... Hood River—Raining ... light and yesterday; ... mometer 36 Scotts—Cloudy; the ... southeast The Dalles—Cloudy, ... wind ice about same ... Wallula—Cloudy; wi... mometer 38; rain at s... Celilo—Clear, therm... heavy up stream breeze ... calm this morning ... Walla Walla—Cloud... wind southwest, pretty ... mountains

REAL ESTATE T...

DEE... B Delashmutt and ... lot 2, blk 7 city, $100 ... John H Mitchell and w... ½ blk 313 Holladay's a... P Holland and wife to ... in south side Market st... Begin 50 feet W ... Lownsdale street w...

LEA... Jacob Mayer to A Buch... city 1 year from Dec 1 1...

RELE... P M Gleason to Michae... 2 lots, lot 5, blk 143, city, ...

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E UNDERSIGNED WISHES TO DRAW THE attention of the public to the fact that he has is hands for sale, several lots and blocks in Portland, principally in Stephens' Addition, with houses thereon, and others vacant, h he will dispose of at a very low price and y terms, as he desires to close up the busi- connected with said land as soon as possible; perfect. For further particulars apply to H. F. ALLEN, at Kirk Sheldon's Hardware J street, East Portland. n7d3m

PROFESSIONAL CARDS.

LAW FIRM.
M. STRONG, F. R. STRONG, AND THOMAS N. STRONG, Attorneys at Law, &c., have ay formed a copartnership for the practice of profession, under the name and style of W.M. ONG & SONS. Office, Room No. 8, Dekum's ing, corner Washington and First streets. tland, Or. Jan. 1, 1878. j3d1m

DR. E. A. JONES,
—3 and 4 Savings Bank Building, 50 First Street, bet. Pine and Ash.

PIPER & DONOVAN,
ARCHITECTS,
in Terwilliger's Building, Room No. 16, cor. Morrison and First streets.

JULES KNAPP,
ARCHITECT,
h's Building, S. E. cor. First and Morrison sts.

MISCELLANEOUS.

SOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.
PARTNERSHIP HERETOFORE EXISTING tween us, under the firm name of Dekum & is this day dissolved by mutual consent. ick Bickel will continue the business at the nd, No. 84 First street, between Stark and reets. Either party is authorized to receipt ts due the firm. FRANK DEKUM. FRED. BICKEL. and, Oregon. Jan. 6, 1879. j8d5t

DISSOLUTION.
COPARTNERSHIP HERETOFORE EXIST- between James Welch and A. W. Bennett harness and saddlery business is this day ed by mutual consent. James Welsh retir- W. Bennett will collect and liquidate all f the late firm and continue the business at stand. JAMES WELCH. A. W. BENNETT. and, Oregon, Dec. 30, 1878. j8d2w

NOTICE.
ONE KNOWING THEMSELVES INDEBT- to me please call and settle, as I wish to y business as soon as possible. MRS. G. H. CLARKE.

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The Daily Oregonian.
TUESDAY MORNING, JAN. 14, 1879

CITY.

DEATH OF AN OLD CITIZEN.—Mr. Francis McGuire departed this life at his residence in East Portland yesterday morning, after a long and painful illness, at the age of a little over 68 years. Mr. McGuire was one of the oldest citizens of Portland, having emigrated from Burlington, Ia., and settled here in 1852. He leaves a family of children, several of whom survive him, as does his aged wife, now stricken with grief at the death of the companion of a long life. A daughter of the deceased, Mrs. Murphy, wife of John M Murphy of Olympia, was telegraphed for a week ago, but was detained by ice, and only reached her father's bedside ten minutes before his death. The grief of Mrs. McGuire at the death of her husband was so great that she was utterly prostrated, and being seized with a congestive chill, her life was almost despaired of. The deceased was well known and highly respected in this community.

TWENTY-FIFTH ANNIVERSARY.—The *Telegram* says: "Next Wednesday will be the 25th anniversary of the ordination of the Very Rev. J. F. Fierens, V. G., and the occasion will be celebrated by high mass in the basement of the new cathedral, at 10:30 A. M. on that day. Fathers Orth and Glorieux are making arrangements for a reception, to be given to Father Fierens the same evening at the cathedral, and a pleasant time is being looked forward to by those who are being invited. We understand that the Hibernians, Father Mathew and other Catholic societies will participate, as well as the members of the church and their friends and the two Catholic schools.

INTERESTING RELIGIOUS SERVICES.—At the meeting held Sunday in the Plymouth Congregational Church of North Portland, Dr. G. H. Atkinson and Chaplain Stubbs officiated. An unusual interest was given to the services by the presence of nearly thirty seamen, about twenty of whom testified to their knowledge of pardon of sins through faith in the Lord Jesus Christ. With one exception these men have turned "from sin and Satan unto God since coming to Portland. They all participated in the sacramental services.

BETHEL SERVICES.—The services on board the British ship *Nairnshire* were of unusual interest last Sabbath. The cabin was crowded to its utmost capacity, and nearly a hundred people, it was estimated, failed to gain admittance. The audience listened with marked interest, and some were moved to tears as the chaplain set forth the grounds of hope and love for sinners. (See Is., 9.5; and Jer., 12:2.)

STEAMER BONITA.—The steamer *Bonita*, which left Astoria yesterday morning, arrived here last evening in good time. Considerable quantities of floating ice were encountered on the way up, but no delay was occasioned in consequence. The *Bonita* met the steamer *Mary* at Rainier, on the way down to Astoria. This morning the *Bonita* will start for Astoria.

AT ROOSTER ROCK.—A dispatch over the O. R. & N. Co's line last evening states that the mail carrier from the Dalles and also Portland reached Rooster Rock—each going in opposite directions—and would stay all night at that point. Such being the case, the Dalles mail will reach here this evening.

AT ASTORIA.—A dispatch from Astoria yesterday at 9 A. M. says: Bar very rough; wind light from northwest; foggy and raining. Another dispatch at 4 o'clock says: Light southwest wind; tide high; bar very rough, cloudy.

INSTALLATION OF OFFICERS.—The officers of Ellison Encampment No. 1, I. O. O. F., will be installed this Tuesday evening. It is expected that Ellison Battalion No. 1, will be in attendance in full uniform.

CONDUCT THE SERVICES.—Rev. Dr. Lindsley will conduct the union services at the Y. M. C. A. this evening. Many were interested in the meeting last night, and quite a large number requested prayer.

ANNUAL MEETING.—The regular annual meeting of the Unitarian society for the election of trustees, reports of officers and pastor, will be held this, (Tuesday) evening at the chapel at 7½ P. M.

THE COURTS.

PORTLAND, Jan. 13, 1879.

U. S. CIRCUIT COURT—DEADY, J.

Mayer vs Cahalin; demurrer and motion to dissolve attachment, set for hearing on Monday, January 20th, 1879.

Ind. V. Holman admitted to practice in this court.

[illegible] vs Packwood; exception to bill argued and submitted.

[illegible] vs Holmes; rehearing on exceptions to answer.

Goodyear Dental Vulcanite Company vs D. H. Eldridge; dismissed at complainant's cost.

[illegible] vs G. H. & L. M. Davis; same proceeding.

Court adjourned until to-morrow morning at 10 o'clock.

STATE CIRCUIT COURT—BELLINGER, J.

Hawley, Dodd & Co. vs J. M. Callevan; cause dismissed.

Mary E. Campbell vs James H. Campbell; referred to S. Huelat to take testimony.

State of Oregon vs Jacob Swards; motion for new trial overruled.

James Dunlap vs H. B. Parker; demurrer to the answer overruled; allowed until Friday in which to reply.

Hawley, Dodd & Co. vs Geo. P. Sink et al.; motion to dismiss this action.

COUNTY COURT—RICE, JUDGE.

Wing Yung & Co. vs Yuen Wa & Co.; defendants allowed until Monday next to file answer.

PERSONAL.

Mrs. McCurl, who has been dangerously ill for several weeks past, (residing at the corner of First and Salmon streets), is convalescing hopefully.

Capt. J. Rose, of the British ship *Robert* [illegible], went down to Astoria on yesterday's boat. His vessel, having completed her loading, will proceed to sea so soon as the bar permits.

Capt. J. Black, whose recent illness was chronicled by this paper, has recovered, and expects to go down to Astoria to-day in company with the barge that is to convey his last tons of wheat.

E. Cartwright, of Salem is in a more promising way of recovery than at any time since the severe surgical operation was so skillfully performed by which his "good right arm" was removed from his body.

Mr. Alex Meachem, formerly teacher in the [illegible] school in this city, has been on a visit to [illegible], where he has had the gratification of being accepted as a member of the bar before the Supreme Court. Mr. Meachem has associated himself in the practice of law in Astoria with Gen. O. F. Bell, formerly of this city.

UP THE COLUMBIA.

JANUARY 13, 1879, 8 A. M.

Cascades—Cloudy and raining hard; thermometer 33°; very little ice running this morning.

Hood River—Raining hard; rained all last night and yesterday; up-stream wind; thermometer 36°.

[illegible]—Cloudy; thermometer 42°; wind [illegible]west.

The Dalles—Cloudy; thermometer 36°; no [illegible]; ice about same as yesterday.

Wallula—Cloudy; wind up-stream; thermometer 39°; rain at stand; no running ice.

Umatilla—Clear; thermometer 42, [illegible] very [illegible] up-stream breeze during night, but very [illegible] this morning, heavy ice floating this [illegible].

Walla Walla—Cloudy; thermometer 35, [illegible] southwest, pretty strong, snowing in the mountains.

REAL ESTATE TRANSACTIONS

DEEDS

[illegible] B. DeLashmutt and wife to L F Grover, N [illegible] 2, blk 77, city, $100.

[illegible] H. Mitchell and wife to Rebecca J. Diggles; [illegible] blk 19, Holladay's add, $100.

J. Holland and wife to Mary M. Spring, 50 feet [illegible] south side Market street extended by 100 feet [illegible] Begin 50 feet W from intersection of W. [illegible] Lownsdale street with S. line Market street

LEASE.

[illegible] Mayer to A. Buchard, lots 5 and 6 blk 20, 1 year from Dec. 1, 1878, at $100 monthly

RELEASE.

J. M. Gleason to Michael Taylor and wife, Jan. [illegible] lot 6, blk 143, city, $400.

Dr. B. Siddall, Dentist; rooms over the French's building, The Dalles, Or.

BRIEF NOTES.

Cold and rainy weather.

All true women want to be patrons of husbandry.

The cheapest way to settle back rents is to buy an ulster.

Thin ladies should never pile their hair on top of their heads.

The *Emma Hayward* will make another attempt to reach the Cascades this morning.

Joaquin Miller weeps because Italy is not his native land. We join our tears with his.

No matter how hard it is to find a rocking chair during the day, a man is sure to fall over one when he is in search of the match box after dark.

There is something solemn in the tone of a great bell striking midnight especially if you are a mile from home, and know that your wife is sitting behind the hall door waiting for you.

Some moralizing philosopher has discovered that "Heaven gave women tongues to ask questions with and eyes to give answers with" Our observation is that the tongue goes into the answering business pretty lively sometimes.

There should also have been in the list of improvements in 1878, a residence at the corner of Salmon and Eighth streets built for H. Fleckenstein at a cost of $6,000, and a residence for Wm. Grooms on south side of Taylor street near Fourth, costing $2,000.

THE RIVER.

The ice gorge in the Columbia river which has prevented the passage of steamers during the past two weeks, is now almost broken, and if the prevailing mild weather continues, no trace of ice will be left in a day or two. The steamship *Oregon* which came up to Willow bar last week, and was compelled to return to St. Helens, came through on Sunday night, arriving here at 7 o'clock next morning. Her officers report the river entirely open. In her trip up from Astoria last week, the *Oregon* encountered great quantities of drift ice, and the appearance of her iron nose is somewhat the worse from the consequent wear and tear.

The O. S. N. Co.'s steamboat *Emma Hayward* left this city for Cascades yesterday morning; but was unable to reach a point three miles this side of Vancouver. She ran up into the ice, and found it to vary in thickness from six inches to two feet, and the great body of it to be firm. This gorge, which is now the only one in the river, extends from Hathaway's landing, three miles below Vancouver, to a point about five miles above that place.

The regular Vancouver packet, *Lurline*, went to Hathaway's landing yesterday morning, and returned in the afternoon carrying the Vancouver mail and a number of passengers each way. She will leave again this morning at 9 o'clock, and her officers hope to be able to reach Vancouver.

PROTEST AGAINST CHINESE LABOR.

The following protest against the employment of Chinese on public improvements within the city of Portland was filed with the auditor and clerk by District Attorney Caples and will be presented to the Common Council at the next meeting of that body:

To the Hon. the Common Council of the City of Portland in Oregon: Respectfully calling your attention to an act of the legislature of this state entitled an act "To prohibit the employment of Chinese laborers on the improvement of streets and public works in this state," approved October 10, 1878, and by its terms taking effect from and after its approval by the governor, I beg leave to suggest, that since the taking effect of said act Chinese laborers have been and still are employed in several instances under contracts made with the city for the improvement of streets and other public works therein, in violation of the terms of said act of the legislature.

I instance as examples a contract for the improvement of Salmon street, made with the city on or about the 17th of November, 1878; also, a contract for the improvement of Yamhill street about the same date, besides other contracts not herein particularized.

This employment of Chinese labor being not only derogatory to the interests and rights of citizen labor, but a violation of the statute above referred to, I, as district attorney of the 4th judicial district of Oregon, do hereby enter my protest against the payment of any money upon and against the legal recognition of any contract by your honorable body upon which Chinese labor has been thus performed. J. F. CAPLES, Dist. Att'y.

PORTLAND, Jan. 13, 1879.

ORDINANCE VIOLATED.

It is very well for people to keep their premises cleaned up of all sorts of rubbish, but when they pile this rubbish in the public streets or any other public place except that designated by the superintendent of streets, they violate an ordinance of the city. The attention of our citizens has been called to this frequently before, but it seems all do not yet understand it Some one has lately thrown a large lot of rubbish, ashes, dead coals, boards and broken glass, in a public place at the corner of Morrison and Ninth streets, and a day or two ago a teamster drove his horses over it, and the glass cut the foot of one of the horses, laming it badly. The following is the law upon the subject:

No person shall throw into or deposit upon any public street, highway or grounds, or upon any private premises, or anywhere except in such places as may be designated by the superintendent of streets, any glass, metal, broken ware, dirt, rubbish, garbage or filth, and no person shall carry upon any sidewalk, exposed so as to be offensive to pedestrians, any rubbish, garbage or filth.

A violation of the provisions of this ordinance shall be deemed a misdemeanor and, upon conviction before the police judge, the offender or offenders shall be punished by a fine of not less than $[illegible] nor more than $50, or by imprisonment in the city jail not less than two nor more than twenty days for each and every offense.

WEATHER UP THE COLUMBIA.

Dispatches from up the Columbia last evening at 6:30 o'clock indicate the following state of the weather.

The Dalles—Cloudy; thermometer 40°; no wind; ice same as this morning.

Walla Walla—Snowing hard; wind south-west; thermometer, 33°.

Wallula—Commenced to rain at 4:30 P. M. wind up stream, thermometer, 44°.

Scott's—Raining lightly, thermometer 37; calm.

Umatilla—Cloudy; thermometer, 40°; wind up stream.

Hood River—Raining; been raining very hard with heavy up stream wind; thermometer 36°: some large cakes of ice going down the river this evening.

Cascades—Cloudy; been raining hard all day and snowing in the mountains, thermometer, 38°.

STEAMER MOVEMENTS.

The steamer *Idaho* sailed from San Francisco last Saturday at 11 o'clock. She will probably reach the bar to day if favored by south winds.

The steamer *Oregon* is announced to sail for San Francisco at 6 o'clock A. M. on Friday morning next. She is the only ocean steam vessel now in port.

The *Elder* will sail from San Francisco for Portland on Saturday next at 10 o'clock. It is possible, but not certain, that the *Great Republic* will sail at the same time.

It is stated by reliable parties that the steamship *City of Chester* has been chartered by the Pacific Mail Steamship Company, and that she will immediately take the place of the *Alaska* on the San Francisco-Puget Sound-Victoria route.

E J Northrup & Co. advertise carriage and wagon hardwood and hardware, exclusively. If you need anything that pertains to a buggy or wagon send them an order.

MY POOR DARLING WIFE is suffering with another of those terrible *billious headaches* What shall I get to relieve her? Oh yes! The *Oregon Blood Purifier* cured Mrs C, and I must go down to Pfunder's and get a bottle immediately.

For information go to Oregon Intelligence Office, No. 213 First st., Price & Maxwel

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For a nice fitting and stylish suit, always be sure to call at the popular IXL, 151 Third st., near Morrison.

Don't forget to call to day and take a sitting at Abell's You know it is best to do to-day what might be done to-morrow.

IN A STATE OF SIEGE—The public have found where to get furniture, elegant, substantial and *cheap*, and are flocking to Edwards & Birmingham's, where everything to make a home comfortable can be found. Come one come all!! Corner Second and Yamhill streets, up stairs.

AMUSEMENTS.

BENEFIT.—We are gratified to note the fact that a movement is on foot having for its object the tendering of a complimentary benefit to genial John Maguire, the popular lessee and manager of New Market Theater. As yet the time and piece to be presented has not been determined upon, but it will probably be some night next week. Mr. Maguire is a great favorite with the Portland public, and certainly deserves a rousing benefit for the strict faith he has preserved with this public in presenting only first class attractions. Particulars hereafter.

LED ASTRAY.—This evening one of Boucicault's very best society plays will be repeated, by request. Judging from the approbation bestowed upon it last week on the occasion of Mr. Piercy's benefit, there is no question but there will be a large audience present on this occasion. It is only proper to call attention to the fact that Mr Piercy's engagement terminates next Saturday evening, and those who have not as yet seen him ought to avail themselves of the opportunity. The pieces to be played through the balance of the engagement are the choicest in his repertoire, and put on the stage and played as they are at the New Market Theater, are well worthy public support.

DIPLOMACY AT SALEM.—A rich treat is in store for the theater-going people of Salem Friday evening next, in the appearance of that popular gentleman and talented actor, Mr. Samuel Piercy, at Reed's opera house, in his celebrated impersonation of "Julian Beauclerc," in the great play of "Diplomacy," supported by Manager Maguire's excellent dramatic company from the New Market theater. Aside from the merits of Mr. Piercy as an actor of more than ordinary merit, and the excellence of the company which will support him, the play in itself is one which should fill the theater to its utmost capacity, and we hope the citizens of Salem will lend such support as the merits of the performance justly deserves.

OTHELLO.—"The immortal bard's" great tragedy of "Othello" was produced at New Market Theater to a good audience. We are not able to give an extended notice of the presentation of this great creation of Shakespeare for want of time and space. A brief mention will have to suffice. Mr. Lindsay appeared in the title role—the swarthy and jealous Moore. His interpretation of the character was strong, bold and not lacking in the essential of vigor. His make up was very excellent, and his conception and impersonation of the character was fully up to his usual standard of excellence. As "Iago" Mr. Piercy far surpassed the most ardent expectations of his many friends. His impersonation of the cool, crafty and cunning villain was marvelously fine We exceedingly doubt if there has ever been a finer representation of the character of "Iago" on the Portland stage. This is saying a good deal for Mr. Piercy, but the facts justify the assertion. The support was very good. Miss Walters, as "Emilia," was very fine and deserves special mention. Her speech in the last act was delivered with great energy and dramatic precision and won a meed of applause. Miss Woodthorpe, as the fair "Desdemona," was really very clever and succeeded remarkably well in the character. The remainder of the characters were entrusted to competent hands The piece ran smoothly and its presentation afforded much pleasure.

LETTER FROM KALAMA.

THE RECENT HOMICIDE—VERDICT OF CORONER'S JURY.

KALAMA, W. T., Jan. 13, 1879.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE OREGONIAN:

Thomas Spain, who was shot by officer Cole, Jan. 7th, died Jan. 8th from the effects of the wound received. The following is the verdict of the coroner's jury in the above case, summoned by G. B. Austin, justice of the peace and acting coroner

We find that the said Thomas Spain, being at the time a prisoner of the United States, and while endeavoring to escape from the custody of one Alonzo Cole, a deputy marshal of the United States at Kalama, Washington Territory, came to his death from the effects of a pistol shot fired by said Deputy Marshal Alonzo Cole on the evening of Jan. 7, 1879, and that he died on the evening of Jan. 8, 1879, at Kalama, W. T., and we find that the said Alonzo Cole caused said death in the discharge of his duty, and we fully exonerate him from all blame in the premises.

C. C. Bozarth, foreman, Sol. Strong, Samuel Gatton, P C. Havird, W S. Lyson, S. J. Bozarth.

KALAMA, Jan. 9, 1879.

OTHER MATTERS.

The January term of the district court here has just closed. The ice blockade prevented the attendance of a number of Portland attorneys. The docket was not large. One of the principal cases was a divorce suit which has furnished a fine feast for the lawyers, and a world of fun for the outsiders. A short hand reporter is still at work taking testimony in the case.

Judge Green having been appointed chief justice of the territory, it is understood that he will hereafter preside over the Seattle district, and his successor in this district will be ex-Gov. Hoyt, of Wisconsin, recently appointed by the president.

William H. Martin, of Martin's Bluff, died at his residence Jan 11th, aged about 70. Deceased was one of the pioneers of this country and was one of our best citizens. "Peace to his ashes" C.

SUPREME COURT.

SALEM January 13

Court met pursuant to adjournment at 11 o'clock A. M. Present, all the justices

State of Oregon, respondents, vs. H. L. and C. P. Hanson, appellants; appeal from Douglas county. Motion to dismiss appeal for want of undertaking on appeal submitted without argument.

State of Oregon, appellant vs Lawrence O'Neil et al, respondents; appeal from Douglas county. Case taken up

Adjourned till 1.30 P. M

To Physicians and Patients.

Call on Dr Edward Henderson, Vitapathic Physician, N E corner First and Yamhill street, Portland, and have an *Electrical Cranial Diagnosis* made, which *never fails* to locate disease of any of the vital organs. Physicians, no matter how skillful, cannot always determine the exact location of disease until, in too many cases, it is beyond control Dr. Henderson also cures all manner of disease by the use of *Magnetism*, *Magnetic Herbal* remedies and *Electricity*, and is remarkably successful in treating most of the so called surgical diseases *without the use of the knife or other surgical instrument.*

Ladies who want stylish ready made suits, call at Mrs. Pilger's, the leading dress maker of Portland.

Just received per steamer *Oregon*, direct from New York, a new stock of walking suits at Mrs. Ach's, corner Second and Morrison.

"Damiana is an Herb."

Mme Demorest's ladies' shoulder braces, 75 cents each, also ladies' skirt suspenders, 37½ cents each, at agency, Mrs. Chas Tichnor's, Portland, Oregon.

THE GEM, ASTORIA.—Connected with Peter Wilhelm's Astoria, is a Ship Masters' Reading Room, where the latest shipping papers are on file. Also, Homeward and Outward Bound List. Western Union Telegraph Office next door.

Dr. D. H. McLennan, test and business medium. Wonderful tests with names given. Communications strictly private. 153 Fourth street, corner of Morrison.

CATARRH.—This most prevalent and least understood of *all diseases* is most skillfully treated and *permanently cured* by Dr. James Keck, 135 First street, Portland, Or. Call and see the Doctor if you have Catarrh. He charges nothing for consultation.

Dr. H. F. Adams will remain at the St. Charles hotel until further notice. Dr. Adams is a regular physician, also an old army surgeon; a man of experience and good judgment. Dr. Adams gives special attention to diseases of the eye and ear, throat, lungs, and all diseases of the respiratory organs. Dr. Adams invites all who are afflicted to call on him and be satisfied, however complicated the case may be. Consultation free

Rack and Ruin

will overtake the teeth if they are not cleansed daily. When they are decayed past redemption, how bitter to think, "If I had only used SOZODONT I might have saved them, but now it is too late." Be wise in time, and arrest decay with the great antiseptic.

WHEN MIND AND BODY ARE OUT OF SORTS, with cold extremities, a yellowness in the skin, costiveness, dull headache, and an indisposition to stir about, be sure you are in for a Billious Attack, springing from a more or less Disordered Liver. Dr. Jayne's Sanative Pills will bring the Liver to a healthy condition, and speedily remove all biliary distress.

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THE NEZ PERCES WAR OF 1877.

Inside History from Indian Sources—The Passage of the Lo Lo Barricades—Looking Glass, Not Joseph, Chief of the Nez Perces.

Duncan McDonald agency trader at Jocko, a relative of Looking Glass and White Bird, writes for the *New Northwest* (Deer Lodge) some interesting facts relative to the Nez Perces war. The band did not intend to fight anybody in Montana, but simply proposed to escape to the Yellowstone country, of which they believed Sitting Bull still held possession McDonald's statements emphasize the point that Looking Glass and not Joseph was the leading chief of the campaign after he joined the hostiles at Cottonwood. This also is substantiated by the local history of the war, Joseph's band taking the initiative in hostilities his name came into use and prominence as the head and front of the offending, but in reality it appears he waived what rights of chieftianship he may have had, on account of tribal dissensions. We make the following extracts:

Looking Glass said he did not want any troubles on this side of the Lo Lo range, that he did not want to fight either soldiers or citizens east of the Lo Lo, because they were not the ones who had fought them in Idaho. The idea among the Indians, uneducated as they were, was that the people of Montana had no identity with the people of Idaho, and that they were entirely separate and distinct, having nothing to do with each other. If they had to fight they believed it was Idaho people they should fight, and not Montanians. Looking Glass therefore gave orders to his warriors that in case they should see any white men, either citizens or soldiers, on the Lo Lo, not to molest them unless, as they had compelled him in Idaho, these citizens or soldiers should compel them to fight in self-defense. He said: "We are going to buffalo country We want to go through the settlements quietly. We do not wish to harm any one if we can help it."

THE COUNCIL WITH CAPTAIN KINNEY.

The chief then sent an Indian called John Hill and two others in advance of his camp while coming down the Lo Lo. These three came to a post of four or five white men. This was Captain Kinney's camp and this was the night John Hill was arrested and taken to camp. Hill told Kinney the chiefs had sent him ahead to ascertain if the Nez Perces camp could pass through peaceably. Hill was sent back to invite the chiefs to come to the white man's camp, saying that these white men wished to see the chiefs. Looking Glass immediately started down with a band of warriors to meet Captain Kinney of the volunteers. When Looking Glass reached Kinney's camp, the chief reiterated to him that he did not wish to harm the whites east of the Lo Lo mountains; that it was true he had fought the soldiers in Idaho when he was compelled to; that he did not want to fight any more, and that he only wanted permission to go through to buffalo country. Kinney replied that he had no authority to treat with them but appointed a council for the next day in the afternoon.

A TRIBUTE TO LOOKING GLASS.

By this time Captain Rawn was preparing in the Lo Lo a splendid trap for Looking Glass and his band. Looking Glass knew nothing about this trap He only thought the soldiers were camped in the customary manner, and had no idea of entrenchments being prepared to obstruct the passage of himself and warriors. Readers, I do not wish my motives misconstrued in giving Looking Glass the leading position in those movements and councils. I am not censuring Joseph when I do not give him preference, nor am I influenced by kinship with Looking Glass. My statements are simply the truth of history. I know it was understood, and probably is yet, by nearly all that Joseph was the commanding chief of the Nez Perces force during the war, and that he really is the man who should have credit for the good work in restraining his warriors from excesses in their passage into and through the Bitter Root. It is an error. Joseph was a good man, but he had nothing to do with the camp, after Looking Glass joined it near the Cottonwood, only by following it to shelter himself from the retributive hands of the white man. It was Looking Glass who saved many a white man's life during the campaign; he was commander; as he ordered, camp was moved or remained stationary, and what military credit is due for the conduct of that campaign is due to him. Knowing Looking Glass to be well known to many whites, and that he was entitled to his reputation as a really good, kind-hearted Red Man, I submit these facts, incidentally, to correct a popular error. White Bird was a fighting cock, but, with the exception of an instance on Salmon River, he awaited orders from his superior officers.

THE COUNCILS WITH CAPT. RAWN.

Capt. Rawn's camp, where he had erected rifle pits in the cañon, was about sixteen miles from Missoula and about four miles above the mouth of Lo Lo. The mountains on the south side of Lo Lo are precipitous and densely covered with standing timber, so that escape on that side was impossible. On the north side grassy ridges stretched away from the stream, allowing a passage in almost any direction.

Looking Glass and White Bird met Captain Rawn and a few armed men and shook hands with Rawn. Of course the latter wanted the feather in his hat and told Looking Glass he must give up his arms. Captain Rawn and Looking Glass then appointed another day to have a talk.

THE INDIAN COUNCIL.

Looking Glass returned to his camp and told his warriors the conditions demanded for them to treat upon. By this time they well knew about "The Corral," as Looking Glass termed Rawn's fortifications. The Indians thought it was ridiculous to give up their arms to their foes. White Bird made a speech and said,

"We remember a big war that took place once on the Columbia river. The United States troops fought against the Yakimas, Kayuses, Umatillas, Spokanes, and Coeur d'Alenes. Colonel Wright was the big chief of the soldiers. After many battles the Indians were defeated. Col. Wright told the Indians that if they would surrender he would treat them well and hurt no one but the murderers. On these conditions the Indians surrendered. Then Col. Wright hung many innocent Indians. Some of them deserved hanging, but many others hands were clear of white men's blood. These soldiers camped below us are of the same kind. How do we know but that Joseph, Looking Glass and others will be hung immediately after we surrender? The officer tells us he does not know who will be hung; that the government has to decide on that question." There were manifestations of approval when White Bird had spoken.

Looking Glass said: "Yes. We do not want to fight. I tried to surrender in Idaho but my offer was rejected. The soldiers came upon my camp and the first thing I knew the bullets were flying around my head. The soldiers lie so that I have no more confidence in them. They have had their way for a long time; now we must have ours. We *must* go to buffalo country. If we are not allowed to go peaceably we shall do the best we can. If the officer wishes to build corrals for the Nez Perces he may, but they will not hold us back We are not horses The country is large. I think we are as smart as he is and know the roads and mountains as well.

THE LAST TALK.

The Nez Perces, however, concluded to have another council and try to make peace without giving up their arms—the Indian way of making treaties. On Friday Captain Rawn made his appearance about a half mile below the Indian village with about 100 men and halted. An Indian by the name Pierre, a Flathead, was sent forward by the officer. When Looking Glass saw so many men near his camp he thought they had certainly come to fight. Looking Glass returned word by Pierre that he would meet Captain Rawn, unarmed, half way between the forces. The council was held and Looking Glass proposed to surrender all the ammunition of the camp as a guarantee that the Indians intended to go through the country peaceably. When told that nothing but an unconditional surrender would be accepted, he asked for another meeting next day to give him time to consult with the other chiefs. Captain Rawn told him that any further communication he had to make must be made under a flag of truce at the fortified camp.

On considering the matter further the Indians determined not to trust themselves under the condition demanded. They thought perhaps the white man was anxious to make peace, but still they feared treachery. I remember hearing Delaware Jim, the acting interpreter, relate that when Rawn met Looking Glass and demanded the surrender of the Indian guns, Looking Glass replied through the interpreter, "If you want my arms so bad you can start in taking them. I made up my mind before leaving Idaho that we would talk with the white man only through our guns. When I promise I fulfill and do not lie as the white man does, When a Chinaman travels he carries no arms, Do you think I am a Chinaman? It is foolish to think of a whole camp going to the buffalo country and not carrying a single gun."

PASSING THE FORT.

On Saturday Looking Glass ordered camp to be raised and directed the women to travel on the north side of Lo Lo until they passed the "Nez Perces Corral," then cross the Lo Lo and turn in a southerly direction up Bitter Root valley. The warriors were to cover the movement. The camp moved. The soldiers and volunteers got into position in the earthworks, and while they were uselessly standing to arms the Indians passed deliberately by without any fight whatever.

While the camp was moving in this manner the Indians captured Henry McFarland, Jack Walsh and another man. These men were volunteers. Looking Glass told them they could go home and attend to their own business. During the day several white men fell into the hands of the Nez Perces, and to all of Looking Glass repeated the remark, "Go home and mind your own business, we will harm no man."

That evening the Nez Perces made camp on McLain's place, about eight miles above the mouth of Lo Lo, in Bitter Root valley.

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SALEM JOTTINGS.

Our regular correspondent under date of January 13th sends us the following:

Cloudy and cool, with indications of snow.

The state printers indulge in bivalves at Emerson's this evening.

C. S. Woodworth, Esq., of Astoria, has been visiting his family and friends in this city

Dr. and Mrs A. M. Belt are sojourning at Snowden Springs in search of health and recreation.

Bliss D. Rickey has received the appointment of mail agent between Portland and The Dalles.

Tom Strang, an old time resident of Salem, is visiting friends here after an absence of nearly twenty years.

The plumbers have commenced work on the capitol building, the contract being let to J. W. Crawford & Co., of this city.

Ah Hing, convicted of larceny in a store in your county in February last, has just had his sentence commuted on account of ill health.

Olive Lodge No 18, I. O. O. F., will publicly install its officers to-morrow (Tuesday) evening. The affair will include an address by Past Grand Representative Norcross of California, refreshments, and perhaps a shake of the foot.

The state printers have completed composition on the laws, senate and house journals and school laws leaving them nothing further to do outside of the report of the investigating committee, which is now being copied off by the clerk, Wm. Stanly, Esq.

Protection Lodge No 2, A. O. U. W., has just installed the following officers for the ensuing term: D S Green, P. M. W, A. L Stinson, M. W, John Holman, G. F; M. G. Harbord, O., J. S Coulter, Receiver, John Gray, Financier, Thos. H. Cann, Recorder; J. S. Moore, I. W.; D. S. Roland, O. W. The new order is flourishing finely.

Owing to the limited amount appropriated for the maintenance of the blind and mute school, the friends of the pupils will either be compelled to pay $2 50 per week for board and tuition for the same or furnish a certificate from two responsible parties to the effect that they are unable to pay for their care. It is feared the institutions will have to be suspended before the two years are up from lack of funds to support the same, but they are being conducted as economically as possible under the circumstances.

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The steamship *Idaho* sailed from San Francisco for Portland Saturday at 11 o'clock, with freight and the following passengers:

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J R Hudson,	M D Exum,
James S Rice and wife,	S L Stricklin,
H Dolton and wife,	F Scott,
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F P Mays, The Dalles	J H Lyon, Fraser river
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H A Saunders, Olympia	R Manning, Detroit
J W McGrew, Perrydale	G M Duncan, Hillsboro
J Williams, Forest Grove	A Boos, Forest Grove
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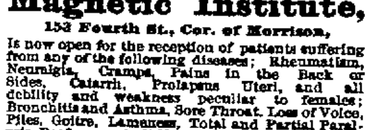
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TO THE EDITOR OF THE OREGONIAN

Some two years ago the question as to whether the Christian world was right in keeping the first day of the week instead of the seventh was brought forcibly to my mind by a new and carefully prepared presentation of the subject From that time to this I have been as candidly and fully weighing all the arguments for and against the present view and practice as I was able and I have to confess that I believe we are wrong If God has commanded us to keep the seventh day of the week as a day of rest from labor and a day of special worship of him then men have no right to assume that the first day may be substituted for it It is a principle in all good government that we submit our selves to law even though we may think something else or some other way is equally good In the family and in the school the child is required to obey, and we even expel him from the privileges of the school if he sets up his own wishes in opposition to his teachers who require him to study on Mon day rather than on Saturday Monday may be a better day for him and for all his companions than Saturday, and they may all choose that, but the rule of the teachers is that he be in school on that day and he is obliged to obey The wishes of the child if submitted to would break up the school It would destroy all the authority of the parent and send the child forth into the world pre pared to follow his own will and be without law—a hoodlum in society The ques tion then comes Is there any other day than the seventh which God has ordained as the Sabbath? If there is another day and God has made the change, then it is right for us to keep that other day On this question, the one question of fact the whole argument turns

It is said by a large share of the Christian world that the day has been changed and to an investigation of this point I have applied myself, but can find nothing, either in the sayings of Christ or his apostles, which on any other subject or in any court of law would warrant us in believing that the origi nal law, as given to the world on the seventh day of creation had been changed.

Our Saviour says in His Sermon on the Mount that He came not to destroy the law but to fulfill He came to *obey* the law "I came down from heaven not to do mine own will but the will of Him that sent me" He was careful "to fulfill all righteousness," even to the unnecessary things (as man views it) of circumcision and baptism He never, in any instance spoke against obedience to any one of the commandments of God, but reit erated the duty on many occasions When the Jewish traditions, which He found in practice worked against the spirit of love to our neighbor and good will towards man, He rebuked those traditions, even though the Jewish doctors contended that they were founded upon the law of the Sabbath He showed that it was right to heal the sick on the Sabbath day When the disciples were hungry and had no means of satisfying that hunger but to rub out the kernels of wheat as they went through the field on the Sabbath, and the Jews found fault with it as a violation of the law of the Sabbath, he declared to them that the Sabbath was made for man, and not man for the Sabbath, that he was Lord of the Sabbath day, thereby indicating that he had the perfect right to interpret the meaning of the law in regard to it. But in no instance and by no word did he abrogate the law in its original purpose as given to man This we find to be his course all through his teachings He and his apos tles never make void the law, but in every instance show that it is the law that is to assert its power more and more as men come into an understanding of the high and holy ends to which it reaches. It not only con demns the outward acts of violation, but lays hold upon the spirit within and declares that anger may be murder and even the look of lust adultery.

If then the law of God, as given on Sinai, is not abrogated, and there has never been any change by one who has a right to make that change then the law of the Sabbath still remains unrevoked, as all the other commandments remain in force to the Christian world Looking at things in this light, which I must do, unless some one comes forward to help me out of the sorest trial of my life, I do not see but I must shut up my store on Saturday, and utterly refuse the hundreds who may come for sup plies, although they may come with the sanction of good society, and with the ap proval of thousands of the best minds of the whole Christian world O. DICKINSON.

FINANCE AND COMMERCE.

Financial.

MONDAY EVENING, January 13, 1879

Silver coin—2@2½ per cent. discount.

SAN FRANCISCO Jan 13.—Currency—99 95@par Silver—97 60-100@98c.

Trade dollars—95¼@95½

NEW YORK Jan. 13—Silver bullion, 8½. 5-20s of 1867 1⅞, 5s of 1881, 7¼ 5s closed at 7¼ 4½s closed at 5⅝.

LONDON Jan. 13.—Consols 95 13-16 money 95¾ account.

Silver 49¼.

5s, 9⅝, 4½s, 8

The week opens with a very fair degree of activ ity in financial and trade circles, and as soon as the ice blockade in the upper Columbia is raised we may expect to witness a very general re vival in the various business departments so entirely dependent upon the free and constant navigation of our rivers The river above and below the city to the mouth of the Columbia is measurably clear of ice and vessels now can move inward to this port and outward to sea without hindrance Several grain ships are in port, about ready to go down the river, and the departures for the next month will exceed the number leaving in any prior month of the season

No change in quotations is noticeable to day in the local market for domestic products, buyers be ing backward and holders still standing out in an ticipation of better rates, especially for staple pro ducts breadstuffs and provisions, both of which are a turn weaker at the latest advices from San Francisco

Tonnage is as low as ever, with no disposition on the part of shippers to take up vessels even at the minimum quoted rates.

The resumption of steamer communication with San Francisco will stimulate trade somewhat, and for a time the shipments thither will probable foot up quite largely

San Francisco Produce and General Markets.

[FIRST DISPATCH.]

SAN FRANCISCO Jan 11

Wheat—Sales of extra choice milling at $1 75 shipping weak and affected by the weather New York market strong

Barley—Large sales of brewing for eastern ship ments feed steady.

Corn—Firm but quiet

Flour—Unchanged.

[SECOND DISPATCH]

Wheat—Demand for California extra choice mill ing is good, with sales at $1 75 California ship ping, no sales reported the market is affected by the appearance of rain sellers not anxious though the market is weak.

Oats—Demand is good for choice and extra choice feed stocks small common is plenty with market weak.

English Wheat Market.

LONDON, Jan. 11.—Floating cargoes turn dearer cargoes on passage and for shipment, steady Mark Lane firm.

Quotations of good cargoes, off coast, per 480 lbs sea damage for seller's account less usual 2½ per cent commission Med Ch. or Mil. wheat 39s 6d @40s red winter 43 6d@44s, California, 40 Good shipping California wheat, on passage per 500 lbs Queenstown for orders just shipped or to be promptly shipped 44s nearly due 44s 6d fair average Ch or Mil for shipment during present month and following one, per 480 lbs Am terms qrs 1 5 000@180 000 Imports of flour into U K during past week bbls. 119 000@115 000 Liver pool wheat on spot steady

LIVERPOOL Jan 10—Wheat—Spot firm

Shipping Intelligence.

[BY TELEGRAPH]

ASTORIA Jan 13 —Passed—Br bark Catalina.

Arrived—ship Gold Hunter Shanghai ship City of B[illegible] [illegible] str Dakota, S F [illegible] Southard Honolulu Jan 12 arrived [illegible] bark Bride S F

PORT BLAKELY Jan 1[illegible]—Arrived—Ship Otago San Francisco

SEABECK Jan 12—Arrived—Bark Dublin S F

PORT TOWNSEND Jan 12—Arrived—Ship Otsgo San Francisco

PORT GAMBLE, Jan 11 —Arrived—Bark Atalanta San Francisco

PORT TOWNSEND Jan 13—Arrived—Barks Samoset and Roswell Sprague S F

SAN FRANCISCO Jan 11—Arrived—Ship Red Cloud Bombay, bk Edward James bktn Discovery Honolulu

Sailed—Str Idaho Portland str Arcata, sch Trustee Coos Bay, ship Eldorado La Gironde Seattle bk Henry Buck Port Townsend bk Ri val Columbia river Br ship Earl Dalhousie, De parture Bay schr H J Tiernan Shoalwater Bay

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan 12—Sailed—Bk Marmion Burrard Inlet bk T H Bell, Seattle

To Sail—Friday str Empire Victoria Saturday Elder and probably the Great Republic Portland Wednesday schr Enterprise Shoalwater Bay Fri day schr C H Merchant Coos Bay

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Ophir—135 shs $32, 32¼

Mexican—900 shs $30¼

C & C—1800 shs $13, 13, 12, 12, 12½ 12

California—150 shs $10⅛ 10, 10½

Savage—50 shs $11¼

Con Va—0 shs $ [illegible]

Chollar—65 shs $4 ½

H & N—200 shs $14¼ 13 14⅞

Point—500 shs $5[illegible]

Jacket 1100 shs $18 18½, 18½ 18 18½ 18

Imperial—1000 shs 95c 95

Kentuck—350 shs $5

Alpha—150 shs $12¾ 12½

Belcher—100 shs $4¼ 4 4 65

Confidence—310 shs $13, 13, 11 13½ 13

S Nevada—1 0 shs $15 43¼

Utah—0 shs $15 14 13

Bullion—805 shs $7

Overman—600 shs $11 10⅞

Justice—700 shs $4 10 4 05 1 3 3 3

Succor—100 shs 45c

Union—105 shs $ 3 5

Alta—650 shs $7

Exchequer—920 shs $5 5⅛ 5 5

Caledonia—420 shs $3 15 3 10 3 05

Baltimore—400 shs $1¾

L Bryan—310 shs 55c 60

S Hill—680 shs $1 60 1 65 1 70

Challenge—440 shs $2¾ 2 40 2¼

N York—400 shs 60c 65

P Sheridan—1000 shs 45c, 50

Woodville—100 shs 70c

L Washington—565 shs $1 20

Occidental—50 shs $1

W Fargo—100 shs 20c

Ward—750 shs 65c 70

Leviathan—350 shs 55c 5 5 50

N Con Va—110 shs $37 6 5¾

Con Washoe—100 shs $2 10

M Star—100 shs $3

Trojan—50 shs 5c

Benton—125 shs $1⅛ 4 65 4½

S Silver—1360 shs 75c 80 85 5 50

St. Louis—100 shs 50c

Flowery—100 shs 40c

Julia—510 shs $3¼ 3 45 3 40

N Bonanza—750 shs $1½, 1 55 1 60

AFTERNOON SALES

Eureka—1760 shs $30 30½, 29¼, 28¼ 29 27½ 30

Belmont—350 shs 60c.

Belle—485 shs $8 8¼

Eureka—20 shs $20¾

Manhattan—130 shs $4

Prize—1685 shs $5 4 95

Argenta—340 shs $1 20 1 25 1 20

Navajo—380 shs 40c

Endowment—100 shs 30c

Independence—370 shs $1 10 1 1

Tuscarora—2000 $5

Day—100 shs 25c

Hamburg—400 shs $1¼ 1¼

Highbridge—200 shs $2 05

Paradise—515 shs $3 2

Modoc—110 shs 50c

Bodie—450 shs $9, 8¾ 8⅞, 8½ 8½.

McClinton—400 shs 40c

Tioga—60 shs $1 60 1 50 1 60

Goodshaw—105 shs 30c 30

Oriental—570 shs 60c

Booker—370 shs 35c

Richer—800 shs 75c

Con Pacific—25 shs $1 80

Chieftain—1000 shs 10c

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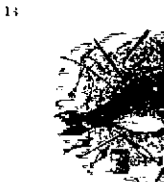
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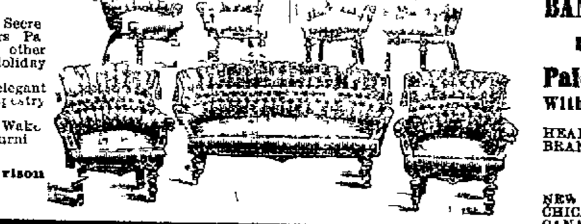
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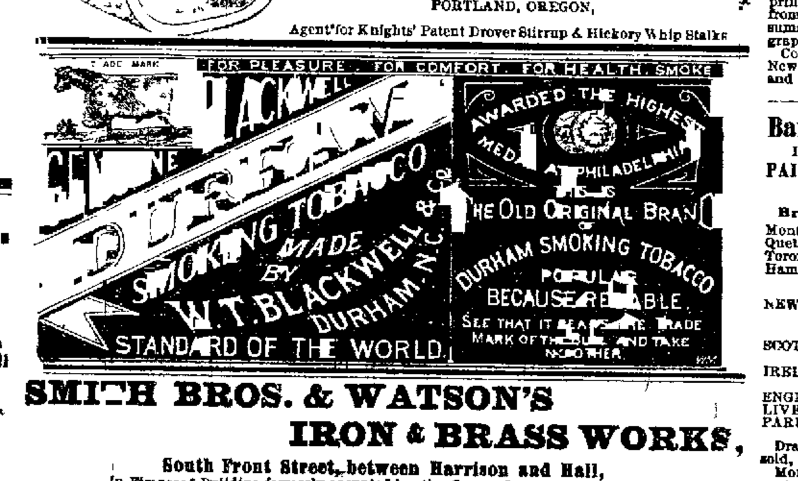
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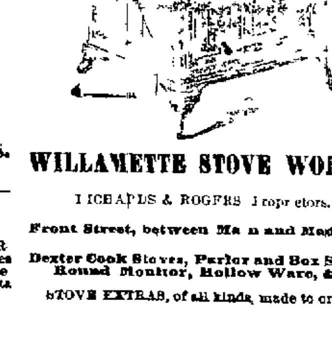
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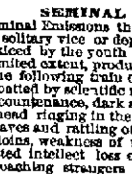
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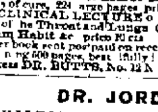
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